Syria, Soviets sign protocol

DAMASCUS (R) — Syria and the Soviet Union Sunday signed a five-year protocol on developing economic, scientific and cultural cooperation, the official Syrian News Agency SANA reported. The protocol was signed by Semyon Skachkov, chairman of the Soviet Union's State Committee for External Economic Relations, and by Syrian Planning Minister Kamal Sbaraf. SANA said the document covered development projects that Syria is carrying out with Soviet aid, including land improvement, dambuilding, water resource studies, railway construction, oil-drilling and the expansion of the port of Lattakia. Two years ago Syria and the Soviet Union signed a 20-year friendsbip and cooperation treaty. Moscow is Syria's main arms supplier.



Oawasmi: Israelis plan Hebron step

By Samira Kawar Special to the Jordan Times

AMMAN — Hebron Mayor Fahd Qawasmi said Sunday that he expected the Israeli occupation authorities to dissolve Hebron's elected Municipal Council any time. Mr. Qawasmi, who was deported by the Israelis to the East Bank in May, 1980, told the Jordan Times that the decision to dissolve the Hebron Municipal Council had already been taken, and that the Israeli military authorities were postponing its announcement until they could find persons in Hebron willing to take over the council's tasks and be appointed by the Israeli authorities to replace it.

Full text of the Qawasmi interview will be published in tomorrow's

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3 U.S. senators meet Bourguiba

TUNIS (R) — U.S. senator Mark Hatfield had talks Sunday with Tunisian President Habib Bourguiba, officials said. Defence Minister Slabeddine Baly was also present, they said. Accompanied by Senators Paul Laxalt and Thomas Eagleton Mr. Hatfield conferred later with Prime Minister Mohammed M'zali and Mahmoud Messaadi, chairman of the Chamber of Deputies. Mr. Hatfield arrived from Kenya on what is officially described as a general orientation tour and is due in Marrakesh, Morocco, Monday before returning to Washington.

2 Soviet cosmonauts could break space endurance record

MOSCOW (R) - Two Soviet cosmonauts appeared to be preparing to establish a space endurance record after fresh supplies were sent up to them Sunday. The official Soviet News Agency TASS announced the launching of the Progress-16 freight craft and said it would take "expendable materials and a variety of other cargoes" to the orbiting Salyut-7 space station. Salvut's crew. Anatoly Berezovov and Valentin Lebedev. have been in space for 172 days and seems likely to break the 185-day record of Soviet cosmonauts Leonid Popov and Valery Ryumin set in 1980.

Brazilian, Saudi ministers hold talks...

BAHRAIN (R) - Brazilian Foreign Minister Ramiro Saraiva Guerreiro and Saudi Arabian Foreign Minister Prince Saud Al hisal held a second round of talks in Jeddah Sunday and discussed bilateral relations and developments in the region, the official Saudi Press Agency said. The agency quoted Mr. Guerreiro as saying his talks with Prince Saud Saturday also covered cooperation in fields of finance, economy and trade. Mr. Guerreiro, who arrived Saturday on an official visit, said they also discussed the international economy, the north-south dialogue and the Middle East. He described Saudi-Brazil relations as excellent. Brazil imports oil from Saudi Arabia, which last year concluded a \$50 million, five-year agreement with a Brazilian firm for the supply of iron ore pellets.

Al Baz delivers lecture on Apollos

AMMAN (J.T.) - Dr. Farouk Al Baz a prominent Egyptian-born scientist who contributed to the Apollo space programmes. Sunday gave a lecture and a slide show on the "result of the Apollo missions. Dr. Al Baz, who arrived in Amman on a six-day private visit Saturday, will deliver another lecture entitled Deserts and Earths of Mars today, Monday. The Arab-American geologist is also expected to meet with senior government officials during his stay

Sihanouk celebrates 60th birthday

PARIS (R) - Prince Norodom Sihanouk, leader of the coalition of Kampuchean resistance groups. arrived in Paris from New York Sunday for a three-day visit. Officials said the prince, 60 Sunday, would celebrate his birthday with a reception at a Paris hotel Monday for guests from the diplomatic corps and members of France's Kampuchean community. Prince Sihanouk, who attended the United Nations General Assembly while in New York, will go to Peking on Wednesday, bis aides said. They said he would return to France on Dec. 11 for several days during which he hoped to have talks with President Francois Mitterrand. They said he then intended touring African countries, notably Senegal and Mali, in his capacity as head of the coalition.

Boucetta delivers message to King

Morocco dealing with the out-come of talks held in Washington between an Arab League committee and President Reagan and senior U.S. officials on Middle East peace prospects.

The message was delivered to the King at the Royal Palace in Aqaba hy Moroccan Foreign Min-ister Mohammad Boucetta who arrived earlier Sunday from Saudi Arabia where he was on a similar

The message explains in detail the talks held with the Reagan

AQABA (J.T.) — His Majesty
King Hussein Sunday received a
message from king Hassan II of
Assembly on the principles and of establishing a just and durable peace in the Middle East, the Jordan News Agency, Petra said.

tt said that the message also dealt with the future programme of the seven member committee. Petra added.

The audience was arrended by Chief of the Royal Court Ahmad Al Lawzi and Moroccan ambassador to Jordan Abdul Latif

Mr. Boucetta left for home later Sunday at the end of his mission.

JPRC increases production

AMMAN tJ.T.) — All newly-installed units under the third expansion project of the Jordan Petroleum Refinery Company (JPRC) are now functional, the Jordanian News Agency, Petra said Sunday.

The work carried out under the project includes raising production and treatment capacity of oil products by 1,300 tonnes daily; of benzine by 1,000 tonnes daily; collection of liquefied gas by 225 tonnes daily, and vacnum production at distillation units by 100 tonnes daily as of Sunday, Petra

It also includes improving the production capacity of steam and water treatment plants, electricity generators in addition to oxygen and nitrogen, it added.

The company also is implementing a plan to set up a 'unibon' unit aimed at producing a higher quality of benzine, the news

A spokesman for the company said that production of hydrogen is expected to start by end of this year when production of mineral oils will also be raised considerably.

Qasem returns

The delegation led by Kin Mr. Qasem said upon arrival.

Jordanian-U.S. relations' were discussed at a meeting by Mr. Shultz and Mr. Qasem at which the latter explained Jordan's position vis a vis the establishment of a just and comprehensive peace in the region to be hased on a total Israeli withdrawal from Arab territories occupied in 1967 including the Arab city of Jerusalem, and the recognition of Palestinian people's rights in their homeland.

Israel demands Egyptian envoy's return before Taba talks resume

Cairo urges Jordan to join Mideast talks

CAIRO (R) — Egyptian Foreign Minister Kamal Hassan Ali was quoted Sunday as urging Jordan to join Middle East peace talks.

In an interview with the progovernment weekly newspaper Al Sivassi, Mr. Ali said: "I believe His Majesty (King Hussein) now has a historical chance to do a great service to his country, the Palestinians and the whole area if

he participated in the talks." Jordan and the Palesnine Liberation Organisation (PLO) held talks last month on a possible federation between Jordan and the Palestinians now under Israeli rule in the West Bank and Gaza Strip.

On Egypt's dispute with Israel over the Sinai area of Taba. south of the Israeli port of Eilat, Mr. Ali told Al-Siyassi his country was determined to defend its rights in

The Taba issue was recently rai-

sed by Egypt following reports on would like to resume negotiations the imminent opening of a on autonomy for Palestinians in multi-million dollar Israeli hotel the Israeli-occupied West Bank. in the area, an action which Egypt said violated an agreement reached last April.

aeli government Sunday made clear it would resume negotiations with Egypt on border disputes only if Cairo moved to improve severely strained relations.

Government spokesman Dan Meridor told reporters after a cabinet meeting that Israel accepted Egypt's request for talks if it was linked to discussions on wider iss-Egypt, the only Arab country

that has a peace treaty with the Israel, has frozen relations and recalled its ambassador in protest at tsrael's invasion of Lebanon. Israel is pressing for an overall

improvement in relations and

Mr. Meridor said Israel was hoping Egyptian ambassador Saad Mortada would return to his post. In private, officials said any resumption of border talks depended on the ambassador's return. Foreign Minister Yitzhak Sha-

mir had received a written request from Egyptian Foreign Minister Kamal Hassan Ali for frontier negotiations. Mr. Meridor said.

Most of the border disputes were settled in the last few days before Israel returned Sinai to Egypt last April under the Camp David agreement.

But the two sides were unable to agree on Taba, an arid 700 metres strip of beach where Israeli businessmen have built a luxury 340room hotel, which opens Monday.

Egypt prepared to buy East European arms

commander said Sunday his country was ready to buy East European arms only if guarantees for supply of their spare parts were provided, a Cairo newspaper rep-

Gen. Mohamed Ahdel-Hamid Hilmi told the mass-circulation Al-Akhbar: "We are prepared to huy Eastern (European) arms on condition we are assured of the continuity of their technical care." He did not say which country

was involved but the statement appeared to refer to the scarcity of spare parts for Soviet-made weapons on which Egypt depended almost entirely until the early

The issue was frequently raised by the late President Anwar Sadat who ended Egypt's close relations with Moscow in 1972 by expelling

MADRID (R) - Thousands of

Spaniards turned out Sunday to

welcome Pope John Paul just

three days after electing their first

Socialist government for almost

Police reported big crowds gat-

hering on the streets leading from

Barajas Airport, where the Pope

was due to be met by King Juan

Carlos at the beginning of his 16th

papal journey abroad. The visit is

the first to Spain by a reigning

The streets, now free of election

propaganda, were festooned with

Vatican and Spanish flags and

huge pictures of the Polish-born

pontiff, with slogans declaring:

The political consequences of

half a century.

We love you".

pontiff.

CAIRO (R) — Egypt's air force 17.000 Soviet military advisers. Egypt now shops for its arms from Western countries, especially the United States with which it is engaged in an ambitious programme to update and replace

its weaponry. Egypt's air force is launching a major exercise Monday in the air force commander and fighter Western desert. American, pilot, had been due to watch pla-French. Canadian and Soviet aircraft are due to take part.

Meanwhile President Hosni Muharak Sunday abruptly can- erick missile from an Americancelled plans to attend the air force display in Egypt's western desert. saying he had to attend a political meeting instead.

The decision puzzled military Monday's display, being held at made on security grounds. Wadi Natrun, about 60 kilometres northwest of Cairo, had been billed as a major engagement.

Thursday's Socialist election vic-

cline in faith in this once deeply

The pontiff's trip to Spain had

year and the second time because

ause of the attempt on his life last 1930's.

on religious, political and social bolic.

Spanish provinces.

tory, concern over a dramatic de- tory.

Thousands of Spaniards welcome Pope in Madrid

Catholic country and continued felt certain the Pope would ind-

violence in the Basque country are icate support for the newly-

expected to be among issues the elected government on the gro-

Pope will address during a gru- unds that the Socialists were mod-

elling 10-day journey through 10 erate and that there would be no

been postponed twice, once bec- when it was last in power in the

of the elections, which brought the Alcazar said the Pope was coming

left-wing back to power for the to Spain because of the divisions.

first time since before the 1936-39, confusion and even corruption ins-

The Spanish courch said it was daily El Pais questioned whether

expecting guidance from the Pope Spain could still call itself Cal-

problems, at what it called a cru- Another Madrid daily, Diario

Officials said the president decided he would be too busy for the display because he had to attend a training course being held for vounger members of the ruling National Democratic Party (NDP). President Muharak, a former

nes make training attacks with live ammunition on ground targets and to see the launch of a Mavhuilt F-4 Phantom jet. It was at a military parade in

October last year that former President Anwar Sadat was assassinated. But officials said Mr. observers since his attendance at. Mubarak's change of plan was not

The exercise is being held to mark the 50th anniversary of the

cial moment in the country's his-

repetition of the fierce anti-

clericalism promoted by the party

The right-wing newspaper El

ide the courch and the influential

But church officials said they

after talks in Washington

AMMAN (Petra) — Foreign Minister Marwan Al Qasem returned to Amman Sunday after taking part in talks in Washington as member of a seven member team to explain the Arab Middle East peace plan.

Hassan II of Morocco held talk with President Reagan and U.S Secretary of State George Shultz on American-Arab relations and ways for establishing a just and peaceful Middle East settlement.

He said the two sides also exchanged views on the American peace plan as presented by President Reagan last month and he described the meeting as positive.

Mr. Qasem also took part in a meening with the United Nations Secretary-General Javier Perezde Cuellar to whom the delegation explained the Arab peace plan as was adopted by the Fez summit.

TEL AVIV (R) - Syrian Forces Druze militiamen clashed Sunday in the Sunday fired two anti-aircraft missiles at Israeli planes on routine Israeli-held Shouf mountains, southeast of reconnaissance flights over Leb-Beirut, in a renewed sectarian flare-up. anon's Bekaa Valley, an Israeli army spokesman said. The missiles missed their rarget The area is a few kilometres Anti-tank grenades and mortar and the Israeli planes returned safely to base, he added.

KAIFOUN, Lebanon (R) — Christian and

shells slammed into this town 15 kilometres from the capital as Druze gunmen traded sniper fire with Christian forces from a nearby barracks at Souq Al-Gharb.

After about two hours, the fighting died down and an Israeli armoured column headed by an M-60 Tank rumbled through the town to enforce a shaky ceasefire. A 17-year-old lay dead in Kaifoun, apparently hit by a stray bullet, and local residents said another person was wounded.

The residents said fighting began when a carload of Christian militiamen from the right-wing "Lebanese Forces" drove through the town and began shooting.

PLO to

fix date for

PNC meeting

TUNIS (R) - The Palestinian National Council (parliament-m-exile) will meet in December in an unspecified Arab capital, a Pal-

estinian spokesman said Saturday

He said the Palestine Liberation

Organisation (PLO) leadership would meet in Tunis Monday to fix a precise date and the venue.

PLO Chairman Yasser Arafat

rebased here Saturday night after

official visits to Yugoslavia and

In Damascus, Palestinian sou-

other PLO leaders on the results

of his recent tour of Arab and

the Palestine National Council.

and Damascus-based members of

the 15-man PLO executive com-

mittee will leave Monday for

LONDON (R) - Eamonn Far-

rell, the 16-year-old Roman Cut-

holic hoy feared kidnapped hy

Protestant extremists in Northern

Ireland, has been found in a Lon-

don hospital, police said Sunday.

Almost 1,000 police mounted a

hunt for the youth after he van-

ished from his Belfast home on

Wednesday. His mother. Mrs.

Sheila Farrell, made an emotional

television appeal for his return

and police said they were treating

Police said Eamonn was dis-

covered in London's Westminister

hospital and they understood he

was being treated for a drug ove-

Police said early Sunday the

youth was now in their care after

being released by the hospital. He

was admitted late last night after a

passer-by found him in St. James'

His disappearance followed the

kidnap killings of a Roman Cat-

holic and a Protestant and the kil-

ling of a Republican political wor-

16, repeated allegations that the

gunmen.

power today.

excommunication.

church gave succour to Basque

with two anniversaries which

symbolically illustrate the power

that the papacy once held over the

country and the absence of that

On Oct. 31, 1562, Pope Pius V

promulgated a decree outlawing

bull-fighting and threatening

those who ignored the ruling with

The papal decree, which was

later quietly dropped, coincided

with the high days of Spanish Cat-

holicism when the inquisition

imposed the faith with dreadful

Anti-Pope in Spain, page 8

punishment and torture.

The Pope's arrival coincides

Park, central London.

the case as a kidnapping.

Tunis, the sources said.

Kidnapped

Irish youth

found

Khaled Al Fahoum, speaker of

other countries.

north of the village of Kfar Matta. where the "Lebanese Forces" clashed earlier this month with militiamen from the Progressive Socialist Party (PSP) which represents the local Druze population.

An Israeli soldier, on 10p of a troop carrier parked in the main square of Kaifoun, shouted that the Israelis had come to reassure the Druze they were safe from att-

State-run Beirut radio reported a similar clash near the town of Bhamdoun, on the Beirut-Damascus highway, but gave no

TEL AVIV (R) — Israel's Lahour

Party Sunday rejected Palestine Liberation Organisation (PLO)

offers of direct talks with Israeli

opposition groups and dismissed them as a publicity stunt.

Commenting on a Rome new-spaper report in which PLO leader

Yasser Arafat was quoted as say-

ing a direct dialogue between the

Israeli Labour Party

PLO and Israeli opposition groups was possible, Labour Party Chairman Shimon Peres told new-

rejects talks with PLO

Violence erupts again By a Jordan Times in Lebanese mountains

Syrians fire 2 missiles

The missiles were fired from

just inside Syrian territory, be

In Tel Aviv. Foreign Minister Yirzhak Shamir said a Syrian mis-

sile arrack on Israeli planes over

eastern Lebanon Sunday was a

serious ceasefire violation which

could delay the withdrawal of for-

were fired from bases in Syria at

reconnaissance aircraft flying over

Lebanon's Bekaa Valley, an Isr-

aeli army spokesman said. The

planes were not hit and returned

smen the opposition party" rejects

all suggestions of negotiations

with the PLO because we are aga-

inst a Palestinian state and against

putting a hostile Palestinian army

He described the PLO feelers as

Labour Party Secretary Hayim Bar-Lev said Sunday that the PLO

wanted a dialogue on just one sub-

ject: The establishment of a Pal-

estinian state, a concept the Lab-

at the gates of Jerusalem."

a public relations ploy.

safely to base, he added.

The ground-to-air missiles

eign forces from Lebanon.

Staff Reporter

Bethlehem mayor

Badran receives

AMMAN - Prime Minister Mudar Badran conferred at his office Sunday with Bethlehem Mayor Elias Freij who arrived here Sunday morning for a visit expected to last until Friday.

During the meeting they dis-cussed the situation in the occupied Arah territories and methods for supporting the ste-adfastness of the Arab inhabitants there. Mr. Freij briefed the prime minister on the social and economic conditions of the Arab people under occupation rule.

The mayor also had a meeting with Minister of Occupied Territories Affairs Hassan Ibrahim with whom he discussed topics pertaining to the conditions of the Arab inhahitants in the occupied West Bank.

Abu Odeh confers with AJF president

AMMAN (Petra) - Information Minister Adnan Abu Odeh con-ferred in his office Sunday with Arab Journalists Federation President Sa'd Qasem Hammoude.

They reviewed the federation's activities in 1981 and its future programmes which will be carried out on Arab and international lev-

Mr. Hammoude arrived here Sunday for talks with Jordanian information officials before going on to Kuwait where he will take part in the federation's general secretariat meeting scheduled to start on Thursday.
The meeting with Mr. Abu

Odeh was attended by Jordan's Journalists Association President Rakan Al Majali.

Israeli general felt slaughter might be coming

week: "I want to say on behalf of

TEL AVIV (R) — Maj.-Gen. Amir Drori, front-line commander of Israeli troops in Lebanon, told a judicial inquiry into the Beirut massacres Sunday that he had feared the slaughter might take place.

"Everyone somewhere in his mind harboured that possibility," he told an open session of the commission investigating the massacres of Palestinians in Sabra and Shatila refugee camps six weeks

Lust week Defence Minister Ariel Sharon testified that no one had foreseen the killings.

While Gen. Drori spoke Sunday of personal misgivings about 1srael's decision to send Lebanese Falangist militiamen into the camps, Mr. Sharon had said last

the entire defence establishment that not one of us foresaw, or could have foreseen, the horrors that were perpetrated in Sabra and Shatila. Israeli troops in west Beirut allowed militia into the camps with

the declared aim of rounding up Palestinian commandos. Gen. Drori made clear he had personally not wanted Falangists to enter the refugee camps and would have preferred the round-

up to have been carried uut by the

Lehanese army. He said he first heard of "irregularities" in the camps on the morning of Sept. 17. about 17

hours after the right-wing militias entered the area. "There was no specific information on a massacre," the general said. But the Israeli officer

angists told him a Pale-turan girl had claimed she was hit on the head by a militiaman. The officer also said the militia

acting as liaison with the Fal-

had attacked civilians in northwestern Beirug "There was a feeling that maybe

irregular things were happening and that added to my uncomfortable feeling that they were not fighting as we (the Israeli army) do.... that they had fired into houses without getting people out of them."

The soft-spoken, burly general gave almost two hours of testimony during an open session of the commission held in a small classroom on the Hebrew University campus. He was asked not to divulge information which might compromise state security until a closed session that followed.

Nigerian religious riots spread to 2 other cities

people were killed in the northeastern Nigerian town of Maiduguri last week in religious riots that spread to two uther northern cities, a newspaper reported Sun-

The daily Sketch quoted an authoritative source in Maiduguri as saying 452 people died in rioting involving extremist Muslims, followers of the late Alhaji Mohammadu Marwa, whom they believe to be the prophet of Islam.

His seet was also blamed for disturbances in Kaduna, where police said t8 people were killed in violence that erupted after police went to arrest about 200 followers of Alhaji Marwa who arrived in the city from Maiduguri.

Muslim students went on the rampage Saturday in Kano, a major centre in the predominantly Muslim north. The students burned down churches after a dispute about the siting of a church close to a mosque. No deaths were rep-

There were no reports of vio-

LAGOS (R) - More than 450 lence in any of the three towns Sunday and reporters in Kaduna said the city was quiet with police' patrolling the streets in strength. The riots were the first major

religious disturbances in Nigeria since the end of 1980, when hundreds of people were killed in 11 days of violence attributed to inflammatory preaching by Alhaji Marwa, who was himself among the victims. Hundreds of his followers were

imprisoned following the violence. The last of them were released early this month on the anniversary of Nigerian independence, according to politicians in Lagos who have criticised the move. The violence in Maiduguri.

some 1,200 kilometres from here, erupted last Tuesday after police tried to arrest 16 Alhaji Marwa followers who had been preaching that he was the true prophet of Islam and that the name of Muhammed, the prophet of Islam for Orthodox Muslims, should not be mentioned.

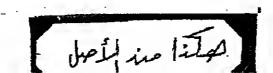


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Efforts to reintroduce Arabian oryx into Jordan show solid results

By Reem Habayeb Special to the Jordan Times

AMMAN — A five-year-old effen to reintroduce into Jordan the moce-native Arabian oryx has stato show solid results, with the original It oryxes now having grown into a healthy herd of 26. They oryx herd is housed at the araq animal sanctuary called the Saumari Wildlife Reserve, which one of the projects run hy the inman-based Royal Society for lie Conservation of Nature

While people in the Arab World ere naming their children Maha, ir reference to the orys with the reputiful dark eyes, the animal itself was getting extinct in the areas where it originated.

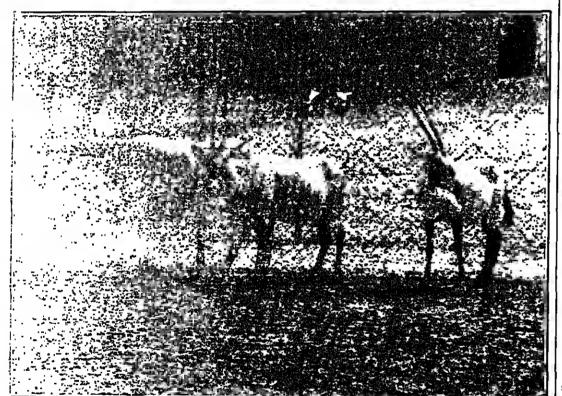
The white graceful, longhorned Arabian oryx is a gregarious brosing and grazing antelope. The male orvies are called oxes, the females ewes, the offsprings cales. They have a lifespan of 20-25 years. The ewe's pregnancy period is nine months and she usually gives birth to one calve. Very rarby do twins survive.

The horns of the oryx are its defence mechanism, and the male cryx is very protective of the femeles especially during the matting season. This could become dangerous to the suckling calves wbo approach their mothers. The oxes will try to turn them away by attand them with their horns. The rinie calves usually leave the motcer when they see the aggressive ervs, but the female calves insist a clinging to their mothers, and namy get killed by the male oryx. ped diminish the number of oryxes, since more females were getring killed than males.

Usually there is one male oryx that dominates the herd of oryxes. After a year a younger male challenges him and takes over the

This is one of the factors that hel- charge of the herd. This is done by the two males fighting: the looser usually lies down on the floor after its defeat and the winner stands high to show his superiority. The orvxes have a special way of communicating with each other. A certain sound is made in indication of





Cryx herd housed at Shaumari Wildlife Reserve in Azrag

approaching danger, and a different one when pasture is found. They also communicate by shaking their heads right or left, upwards or downwards. When asleep the oryx has its eyes closed but one ear is directed forward and the other backward to sense any movement. The oryx can endure thirs: and hunger for long periods; precise information on that is not enough, yet it is thought that they are like camels and desert donkeys who are able to change their body temperature, and so water loss from their body is reduced. The oryx has a very sharp sense of smell. This interesting animal has been a source of inspiration for many Arab poets in the past.

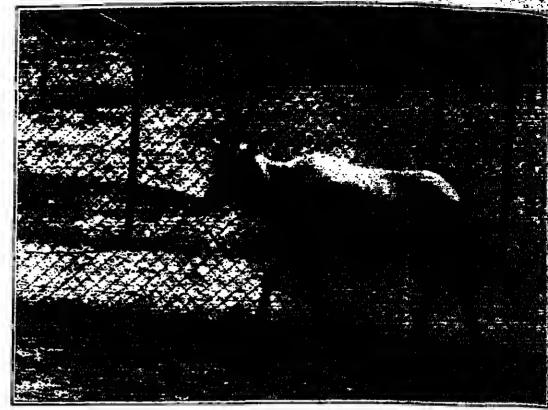
Near extinction

Although this desert animal has been able to survive in the harshest of conditions, it could not escape the hunt of man, and its number depleted to near extinction in some countries and complete extinction in others.

Fortunately efforts have been made to reintroduce it to countries where it originally came from, With the help of the World Wildlife Fund and the International

Union for the Conservation of Nature, the San Diego wild animal park took a few of the remaining oryxes to California and have been able to breed them. The efforts of the Royal Society for the Conservation of Nature made it possible for the oryx to be reintroduced to Jordan. In Feb. 1978 the first four male oryxes arrived to Jordan and in Aug. 1979 four females followed. Three others arrived from Qatar lone of them was pregnant and gave birth in Jordan, to a female calve which they called Doha because it was conceived in Qatar). The RSCN. is now in the process of fencing an area of 22 square kilometres for the oryxes, called the Shaumari Wildlife Reserve, oear Azraq. In the area there will also be Arabian Gazelis and blue necked ostriches. where all will be left to struggle for their survival alone. At the RSCN, each oryx has a biography card that has all the information to follow up about the oryx.

The RSCN which was established in 1966, has its main office in Amman. They have been very active in their efforts to conserve the wildlife of Jordan. They have published two booklets, one on the wildlife in Jordan, and ano-



The white graceful Arabian oryx is getting extinct

ther, a recent one on the marine life in Aqaba. It is an interesting research on the history of Agaba. the topography of the city and the shore, the shallow seas, the coral beds, their different kinds and forms, and the intriguing life in the Aqaba waters. In the booklet there are a series of exquisite pictures taken under water in Agaba. (This booklet can be found at the

society's office in Amman on the Fifth Circle 1. Apart from these publications, the society distributed pamphlets to all visitors to Aqaba asking them not to collect any of the corals from the waters, and they have imposed a fine on those who do. They also address all ship captains who dock at Agaba port and ask them not to throw any oil in the port. A fine is

also imposed on any who does not abide by the instructions. The RSCN have also been very active in Azraq were there is rich water life. They will be fencing an area of 14 square kilometres called the Azraq Wildlife Reserve, so as to protect it. Soon they will be having hieghts for bird watchers who are interested, especially in the different kinds of migrating birds

Alia's Medical Department reflects its great emphasis on safety

By Afifah A. Kaloti Special to the Jordan Times

AMMAN - Alia, the Royal Jordanian Airline emphasis on safety is partly manifested in its Medical Department which was est-ablished in 1978 to screen on regular basis the psychological and physical condition of the airline's most valuable assets: the pilots and cabin attendants.

To ensure and continually impthis important service. management stresses on programmes and plans that would supply its medical team with up-to-date information in aviation medicine, "To achieve its ambitions, the airline's management approves and gives its medical doctors the impetus and the facilities to attend most of the international aviation medical meetings usually held in the United States, Paris and London," Dr. Haitham Abdul Hadi, director of the medical department told the Jordan Times.

Accordingly, Dr. Abdul Hadi himself, recently attended the Civil Aviation Medical Association meeting held in Toronto.

"In order to maintain and improve the airline's medical standard, Alia is an effective member in the Aerospace Medical Association and in the Civil Aviation Medical Association (CAMA). each holding a meeting annually. Mr. Ali Ghandour (chairman and president of Alia) is an honourary member in CAMA. We are well represented in both associations through lecures we give and medical experiences we expose." the medical department's director

Aviation medicine. however. differs from the usual medicine in that some of the medicatioos used in the latter would disqualify pilots and cabio attendants. Doctor Abdul Hadi clarified that certain medications should be given to the pilot so he can fly without feeling dizzy? He added that in some cases of treatment when there is no alternative to aviation medication by which be can properly fulfil his duty, the pilot is totally forbidden to take the scheduled flight and the same applies to other staff. "The medical departmeot," Dr. Abdul Hadi said, "takes the final decision on whether the pilot could take the flight

should be 100 per cent fit, and he or she cannot be considered fit even with a common cold."

The aim of the medical department is to screen the pilots' and cabin attendants' physical health as well as their psychological conditions. "Pilots are an extremley valuable asset to the airline for they are responsible for the lives of passengers in the first place and safety of the aircraft from any damage in the second place." Dr. Abdul Hadi said.

Medical insurance

Alia, however, emphasises the importance of medical insurance and insured all its staff in one of the best hospitals in the kingdom: the King Hussein Medical Centre. In case of any complicated disease we refer our staff to the Medical Centre, the health director said.

Travelling from one continent to another. from one state to another and even from one country to another affects the physical as well as the psychological state of the pilots and cabin attendants. "Because of pressurisation on board and the different atmospheres that vary from one place to another. or not. The pilot, in particular, our crew are prone to get more

diseases than anyone else. Hypertension, diabetis mellitus, heart diseases, visual diseases, and certain ear infections are the common diseases that we usually handle," the medical director explained.

He added that the pilots fatigue oo the one hand, and the exposure to the various cultures of the world on the other hand create psychological problems that can persist if not tackled properly and at the right time. "There should be a close and friendly relationship etween doctors and the former could get consulted without any inhibitions from both sides," Dr. Abdul Hadi said.

The meeting which rook place at the Plaza Hotel in Toronto and was sponsored by the Canadian Ministry of Transportation and the Civil Aviation Authority discussed the medical standards and precautions coocerning the pilots' health. "It actually was a symposiac meeting. All doctors contributed in the discussions and all expressed their opinions on subjects presected," Dr. Abdul Hadi

Fifty-one airline doctors from around the world participated and there were 20 lecturers of various

nationalities. Dr. Abdul Hadi said

that most of the lecturers were professors specialised in the dif-ferent fields of medicine.

The lecturers covered all the new aspects in cardiology, neurology, respiratory and visual diseases. They also presented truitful lectures on search and rescue team. "This team is a group of doctors who are responsible to search for passengers and tescue them in case of a lost plane." Mr. Abdul Hadi clarified.

Alia usually participates are based not only on entire scientific and medical lectures, but also include beneficial entertainment programmes. "We usually show our colleagues films on civilisation in Jordan and the touristic places in Jordan. This kind of entertainment broadens the scope of the foreigners' knowledge on our country," Dr. Abdul Hadi said. The director of the medical department said that Alia is working on increasing the number of doctors in the department. There are plans for aviation medical training courses to promote the efficiency of the department once Queen Alia International Airport opens. he concluded.

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WHAT'S GOING ON

TODAY'S EVENTS

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Les informations d'Octobre (at 5:00 p.m.) and Les sports d'Octobre (at 6:00 p.m.) at the French Cultural Centre.

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MUSEUMS

Folktione Museum: Jewelry and cos-tumes over 100 years old. Also mosaics from Madaba and Jerash (4th to 18th centuries). The Roman Theatre, Amman. Opening hours: 9.00 a.m. - 5 p.m. Year-round. Tel. 51760. Jordan Archaeological Maneum: Has an excellent collection of the antiquities of Jordan. Jabal Al Qafa (Citadel Hill). Opening bours: 9.00 a.m. - 5.00 p.m. (Fridays and official holidays 10.00 a.m. 4.00 p.m.). Closed Toesdays.

Jordan National Gallery: Contains a col-lection of paintings, ceramics, and scu-lpture by contemporary Islamic artists from most of the Muslim countrieand a collection of paintings by 19th Century orientalist artists. Muntazah, Jabal Luweibdeh. Opening hours: 10.00 a.m. 1.30 p.m. and 3.30 p.m. - 6.00 p.m. Closed Tuesdays. Tel. 30128.

Military Musetum: Collection of military memorabilia dating from the Arab Revolt of 1916. Sports City, Amman.

Opening hours 9 a.m.-4 p.m. Closed Saturdays, Tel. 664240. Popular Life of Jordan Museum: 100 to 150 year old items such as costumes, weapons, musical instruments, etc. Opening hours: 9.00 a.m. - 5.00 p.m. Closed Tuesdays. Tel. 37169.

SERVICE CLUBS

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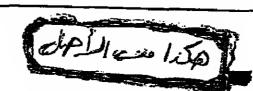
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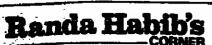
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Just a matter of decoding

A good restaurant is one that offers you a bilingual menu. This allows foreigners to read the suggested dishes...Well, at least in principle...

. Because even though most of the restaurants offer you bilingual menus you sometimes need extraordinary skills to be able to decigher what is written.

I have, for your sake gathered some "gems" picked here and there from the menus of our restaurants.

A good restaurant always offers you "hors d'oeuvres." This one had even a selection.

-Our d'ouvre variais and - Our d'ouvre Orient',

Followed by "shrimbs cocktails" that had nothing to envy to the "smuked salamon"

For the main dishes a title "man dishes" would lead you to believe that these are dishes for meo only but relax our restaurant owners are not anti-feminists but just poor in spelling.

Consequently as main dishes here is the list.

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- -File saule
- --Chikeo curi --Orient kibab
- -Bilav rize -Reef struggnov.
- As for desserts you have the choice between:
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- -Tchees kake.
- And finally if you are very smart you will understand that "malle veille" means "mille feuilles"

A last comment: I have not found any serious spelling mistakes in the wine lists maybe because it is only a matter of copying the label

NEWS IN BRIEF

Course opens on community development

AMMAN (Petra) - An 11-day training course for community centres staff opened at Princess Rahma Community Development Centre at 'Allan Sunday, The 25 participants will be oriented on methods for developing local communities and on the role of social development centres and their functions.

JCO lends JD 675,000 in Madaba

MADABA (Petra) - The Madaba office of the Jordan Cooperative Organisation (JCO) has granted cooperative societies in the disctrict a total of JD 675,000 in loans since the beginning of this year, a spokesman for the JCO said.

IDB to underwrite public shares ...

AMMAN (Petra) - The Industrial Development Bank (IDB) will underwrite shares and bonds issued by public industrial or tourist companies in Jordan, according to an aonouncement by the IDB board Sunday.

Children present a 'most enjoyable' evening of music

By Lamis Andoni Special to the Jordan Times

AMMAN — On the occasion of the World Music Day, the GI.RHO.MA. Music School and the Friends of G1.RHO.MA. Society Sunday organised an enjoyable evening of music at the Intercontinental Hotel.

Children and youth who attend the school participated in the concert, some of them singing and others playing various musical instruments

The GI.RHO.MA. Music School, (the name incidentally is an abreviation of the first initials of three children of Mrs. Nancy Zanariri, the founder of the school), is a private organisation teaching music for children.

Sunday's concert was an appreciable attempt at various types of music such as classical, jazz and pop, especially considering the age of the children who participated.

The concert, attended by more than 450 people, started with the national anthem played on piano by one of the students of the schoof followed by a short speech by Rania Kurdi, who dedicated the first song of the concert to the 'children of Sabra and Shatila."

The programme was widely enjoyed by the audience who resconded with cheers and applause,

Abandoned vehicles to be impounded

AMMAN [Petra] — The Public Security Department IPSD1 has launched a campaign to collect and impound all abandoned vehicles which are found on street pavements in Amman, a (PSD) spokesman announced Sunday.

He said that such abandoned vehicles have been impending the flow of traffic and obstructing

The impounded vehicle are being towed to the Traffic Department and, their onwers should contact that department within 15 days to claim them, otherwise the vehicles would be sent to vehicle dumps, the spokesman said.

Momani urges increased efforts to implement ministry's

AMMAN (Petra) — Supervising and following up the imp-lementation of projects undertaken by the Ministry of Municipal and Rural Affairs and the Environment in various govemorates was discussed at a meeting held here Sunday under the chairmanship of Minister of Municipal and Rural Affairs and the Environment Hassan Al Momani.

programmes

The meeting was attended by directors of the concerned departments who were urged by the minister to "double" their efforts in meeting the ministry's inc

reasing responsibilities. In the past two years, the ministry has increased its staff in these departments to meet expansions in its projects and help carry out projects successfully, Mr. Momani

Swedish experts in Arabic arrive

AMMAN IJ.T.1 - Two Swedish experts in Arabic language, Kerry Persson and Bengt Knutsson, arrived in Amman Saturday night on a two-day visit.

The visit aims "to bridge the culture gap between Sweden and Middle East," according to Dr. Knutsson. The two scholars conduct Ara-

bic courses for Swedish businessmen at Lund University, one of the biggest universities in Swc-

Hundreds of Swedish husinessmen join the course to improve their trade relations with Middle East countries.

King cables good wishes to Algeria

AMMAN (Petra) -- His Majesty King Hussein Sunday sent a cable of good wishes to Algerian President Chadli Benjedid on the anniversary of the Algerian National Day, King Hussein wished President Benjedid success in the leadership of his country and the further prosperity for the Algerian

TCC fixes new tariffs

ecommunications Corporation (TCC) Director-General Mohammad Shahed Ismail said Sunday that a unified telephone tariff recently endorsed by the Arab Telecommunications Union (ATU) will be put into force as of Nov. 1, 1982. Mr. Ismail said that tariff rates will be published in the new telephone directory being printed by the Royal Scientific Society.

Alia leases Boeing 707 to Sierra Leone

AMMAN (J.T.) - Sierra Leone Airlines will commence operations as of Monday with a Boeing 707 leased from Alia, the Royal Jordanian Airline, Alia News said in its Oct. 28 issue.

Alia has a management agreement with the new airline and will provide equipment and expertise to help the newly-born enterprise get started.

Administration seminar opens

IRBID (Petra) - A five-day seminar on government departments

administration opened here Sunday. Altogether, 54 senior officials from government departments in Irbid Governorate are taking part in the seminar, which will review problems facing their departments and exchanging views on methods for overcoming them, according to a spokesman for the Institute of Public Administration's (IPA) branch here.

Yarmouk University Vice-President Adnan Nayefeh, IPA director and several officials from the university where the branch is situated attended the opening session.

Zarqa to have new sewerage system

sewerage project fur Zarqa is due to start early in 1983 and it is expected to be completed in five years. according to Zarqa Mayur Salameh Al Gbweiri.

Outlining the municipality's in Zarqa is now completely safe activities and achievements during the present municipal council's mandate, now nearing its end, Mr. carry out inspection on water sou-Ghweiri said Sunday that the mun- rees regularly in cooperation with

ZARQA (Petrat - Work un a new icipality's budget this year amounts to JD 5.5 million, expected to be collected in taxes, water and fuel fees and loans.

> Mr. Ghweiri who was speaking at a press conference said that drinking water reaching consumers and potable, and that a special committee has been entrusted to

health authorities in the district. However, he said, there was a number of recent cases of pollution, mainly due to water pipes being laid close to sewers and poor

water storage methods. Mr. Ghweiri soid newly juhahited districts are now covered under Zarga Municipality jurisdiction and that all necessary public services are being provided to them.

Ahmad Al Khatib to conduct survey on Qatar's education

AMMAN (Petra) — Arab Educationists Federation Deputy Secretary-General Ahmad Al Khatib left for Qatar Sunday to conduct a study of the country's

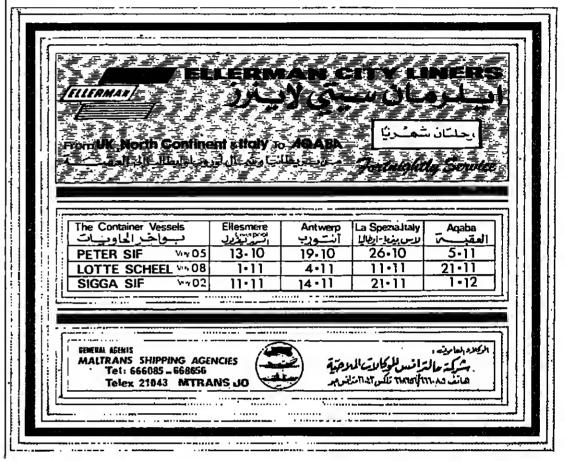
leachers training programme. The study, expected to last three months, "will pave the way for laying down the groundwork for improving Qatar's educational system, Dr. Khatib said in a predeparture statement.

Dr. Khatib is making the study at the request of the United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organisation (UNE-SCO) which will be helping in developing Qatar's education sys-

U.S. team visits Yarmouk University

IRBID (Petra) — A visiting delegation from Oklahoma University in the United States Sunday called at Yarmouk University and met with its President Adnan Badran and senior university off-

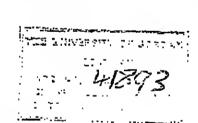
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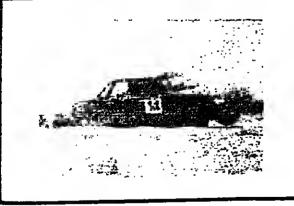
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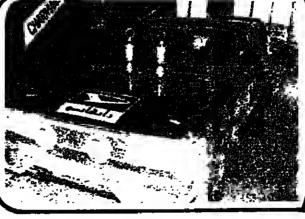
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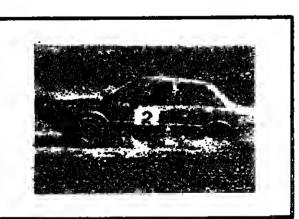
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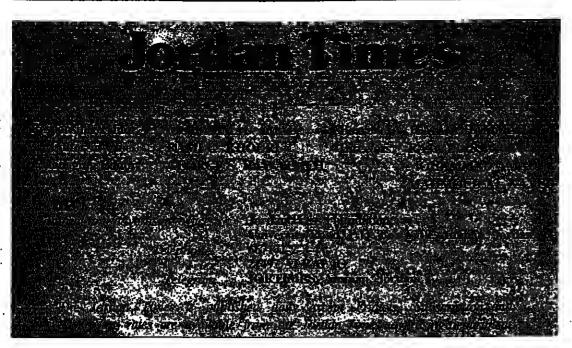


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Hardliners' publicity stunts

NEWS agencies' reporters in Israel must have had a busy day Sunday collecting stories and filing dispatches of which some strike us as fairy-tales. Syrian forces fired anti-aircraft missiles at Israeli planes over Lebanon's Bekaa Valley, but missed their targets, an Israeli army spokesman was quoted as saying in one of them. Israeli Maj.-Gen. Amir Drori testified before the commission of inquiry on the massacre of the Sabra and Shatila refugee camps and told his questioners that he felt something "unusual" was happening just after Lebanese right-wing militiamen were permitted to enter the two Beirut camps, we were told in another dispatch. A third story made it clear that Israel would not resume negotiations with Egypt on border disputes unless Cairo moved to improve severely strained relations between the two countries. Labour Party chiefs rejected Palestine Liberation Organisation (PLO) offers of direct talks with Israeli opposition groups and dismissed them as "publicity stunts", a fourth

But the most interesting of the fairy-tales came with the disclosure that Prime Minister Begin's cabinet rejected advice from its ambassador in Washington to soften the government's stand on the Palestinian question by recommending a freeze on building Jewish settlements in the West Bank for six months.

If this story were true, we could understand why the Israeli cabinet would reject it, why Science and Development Minister Yuval Neeman of the extreme nationalist Techiya Party and his parliamentarian colleague Guela Cohen would tell the envoy to shut up and why the opposition would see in the advice a vindication of its own views on the issue. But we tend to think the whole story is just one more of Mr. Begin's and the opposition's publicity stunts of which the PLO was strangely

If Israel's Washington envoy, who is well known to hold extremely hostile attitudes against the Arabs and therefore qualifies well to be Mr. Begin's close confident, now believes that the U.S. will not accept present Israeli policies, why should he take the political risk of "publicly" recommending the change?

There must be something else to creating the story in the first place and then officially publishing it, and we think it is completely different from yet another Israeli leak. Knowing Begin's mentality, we expect the new fairy-tale to develop into another horror

JORDAN'S ARABIC PRESS EDITORIALS

Al Ra'i: Will Israel choose path of peace?

In an interview with the Yugoslav news agency Palestine Liberation Organisation (PLO) leader Yasser Arafat has renewed a call for a recognition of Palestinian people's right to self-determination. He also confirmed that a Jordanian-Palestinian confederation will be set up as soon as Israeli forces withdraw from the occupied Arab territories.

This statement clearly explains that the Israeli intransigence and persistence in ignoring the Palestinian people's rights in their homeland constitute the core of problem and the major obstacle in establishing peace and stability in the Middle East region.

It also means that once the Palestinians are offered the chance to exercise their legitimate rights, they will move towards achieving the proiccted confederation.

Mr. Arafat has thus explained that a Jordanian-Palestinian confederation is a necessity since both sides have the same aspirations and share the same goals and destiny. Therefore, if Israel recognises the Palestinian people's rights it will prove that it has chosen the path of peace.

Mr. Arafat's statement can also be considered as a call on all peace-loving nations to exert pressure on Israel to follow the path of peace. Naturally the United States has a basic role to play in this respect because it is the main source of Israel's political, material and military power.

Furthermore, Mr. Arafat's statement serves as a strong reply to those who stand in the way of the joint Jordanian-Palestinian endeavours towards regaining Palestinian rights.

Al Dustour: Palestinians in Lebanon--not by choice

Reports of panic which seized Palestinian refugee camps in southern Beirut over the past few days following rumours of a new massacre there has aroused our anger and indignation.

The Palestinians would not have been living in Lebanon or any other Arah country had they not been uprooted from their land by Zionist har-

We are angered to see that Arab brethren exereising similar actions against the Palestinians who

have been living in pitiable conditions since 1948. It is true that the Israeli occupation of Lebanon has brought with it the massacring of hundreds of Palestinian civilians at Sabra and Shatila camps. yet the Lehanese government is to be held responsible for safety of the refugees living in Lehanon. The Lebanese government should realise that Arab states which will be providing it with financial and material means for the reconstruction of Lebanon expect that the assistance must benefit all: Lebanese and Palestinians alike.

The reconstruction of the ruined camps in the south is the sole responsibility of Lebanese authorities who should coordinate its actions with UNRWA, particularly as the rainy season is approaching and the unsheltered refugees will be exposed to the severe cold.

We call on the Lebanese government to allow the higher committee for refugees in Lebanon to take part in arrangements to resettle the refugees in their re-constructed camps and in guaranteeing the Palestinians' safety in Lebanon.

The Arab World has welcomed the Lebanese president's recent statements in Rome that "Lehanon belongs to the Arah World" and we hope that the president will translate his words into actions on the domestic and Arab fronts alike.

DE FACTONOMICS

To defeat Israel from within

I am tempted to read in the El Al labour dispute more than simply an industrial relations problem. It is true that this dispule threatens five thousand workers and their five thousand workers and their families with unemployment. It may also lead to the liquidation of one of the largest corporations in Israel. However. in it I have seen a wider social conflict which will in due time, shake the bases of the Hebrew

This statement reminds me of Joseph Schumpeter's prediction early in the 1950's that the American economy would flourish and prosper during less than three decades. However, this according to schumpeter, was not a guarantee for the success of capitalism. Rather, he predicted that the American capitalist system would collapse despite its economic achievements.

Such a gloomy future was explained by the socio-cultural changes the American society would undergo; namely, the weakening entrepreneurial spirit, the apathy of the intellectuals and social conflicts.

Israel, in comparison, has militarywise been successful. Could we present a similar thesis by proposing that despite its military achievements, Israel carries within itself the roots of its failure?

Someone may hastily dismiss this idea by calling it wishful thinking. Another may carry This position further and use my suggestion as an illustration of Arab escapism and illusion.

Nevertbeless, I would like to carry my thoughts somewhat further. The ruling elite in Israel have made their career either based on military achievements or political exiremism. Both have reinforced each other. To the world, they have presented Israel as a threatened, tiny nation defending itself heroically. The fortress concept has flourished during a

In the U.S., one person in seven

lives below the poverty threshold.

and in 32 countries more is spent

on arms than on education and

health care combined, according

to the Virginia-based World Pri-

orities, a non-profit research org-anisation, which has been pub-

cycle of wars followed by periods of stability and expansion.

During and after each war, the Israeli leadership, whether from the Likud or Labour party, has managed to build up new sympathy particularly in the West.

This sympathy has then been translated into more funds. large inflow of economic and military aid, as well as the immigration in large numbers of Jews. However, the Israeli inv-

asion of Lebanon was different in its brutality and results. It was not justified nor accepted hy peoples around the world. No room was left for Israeli sympathisers to defend the Israeli massacre of Palestinian refugees.

The Palestinian and Lebanese plight in Lehanon togother with the killing of many Israelis must have brought forward different reactions in the Israeli society.

These reactions will not be

short lived. A slow change and awareness may hopefully evo-Ive in Israel. Military options may hopefully become futile and self-defeating.

There are other roots of soctal conflict in the Israeli society which will lead, as time goes hy, to the demise of the Israeli colony. They were always contained and restrained due to the possible Arab threat.

From now on, oriental Jews will start questioning the status quo which assigns to them lower jobs and responsibilities. Cultural discrimination against these Jews in their supposed homeland can not be accepted for long.

The economic problems of inflation, unemployment, foreign debt burden, halance of payment deficit and dcvaluation are mounting. Their adverse effects are not evenly distributed among the Israelis. This will increase internal tensions including labour disputes.

Israeli intellectuals have s far subsided to the so-calle Israeli need for security an have accordingly given their support to militarism. They wi become more and more critica of the present Israeli ove remphasis on defence, the des tructive Israeli role in the reg ion, the inhuman malpractice, against the Palestinians in the occupied areas and the selfdestructive extremism of it present leadership.

Perhaps we can induce thes changes and put pressures o the Israeli society. However we need to know the fabric of the Israeli society much bettein order to influence it more effectively.

National interests can be achieved through hard work. and a continuous reiinforcement internationally of certain trends and possibilities. Through this, wishful thinking may become a reality.

Report pinpoints armament madness

By Michael Littlejohns Reщег

UNITED NATIONS - Paradoxes of the multi-billion-dollar international arms trade, such as nations facing their own weapons, are outlined in a report published here by an anti-war organisation. According to the review by the

World Priorities organisation: -- Nicaraguan leftists, regarded as foes of the U.S., overthrew the pro-United States dictatorship of Anastasias Somoza with arms

bought mainly in Florida. -- Israel supplied military equinment to the revolutionary government of Iran, which recently led a vain bid to oust the Israeli delegation from the U.S. General Assembly.

-- China, a major supplier of arms to Vietnam, faced its own weapons in short, bloody war with the Vietnamese in 1979.

- guerrillas in Afghanistan fou-

ght Soviet forces there with Soviet equipment originally supplied by Moscow to Egypt.
-- South Korea sells

American-designed arms to anti-U.S. Libya, and just eight days before Argentina invaded the British Falkland Islands it was receiving military equipment from Britain, long a major supplier. The report, which is required

reading for delegates now debating disarmament at the U.N. General Assembly, said: "For the global economy, military expenditures of \$600 billion a year have become the 20th century's burden of sisyphus."

Of President Reagan's confention that money spent on armaments had not contributed to the economic downturn, the report said: "While business in the military sector is booming, recession grips world markets, stifling economic advance, driving up unemployment, adding new millions to the numbers of the impoverished, the uncducated, the lishing reports on world military There are about 50,000 nuclear and social expenditure since 1974.

The report was prepared by Ruth Leger Sivard, a former senior U.S. government official, with an advisory board that included 1982 Nobel Peace Laureaue Alva

ckpiled, representing more than one million times the explosive power of the bomb that destroyed Hiroshima in 1945, Mrs. Sivard

estimates. But that is only part of the pro-blem, according to the report. There are 279 operating nuclear power reactors and at least 323 research reactors in 54 countries. each yielding as a by-product 500 pounds of plutonium annually -the potential for about 7,000 more

bombs and warheads now sto-

hombs a year.
Peaceful facilities therefore provide a direct and potentially clandestine route to the proliferation of weapons," the 44page document states.

ioactivity, sudden catastrophe. And at the end of the process there is a legacy for future generations in the unsolved problem of disposing of the deadly nuclear waste generated by both peaceful and military uses."

More efficient weapons, res- kefeller Foundation, Canada's

nukes" small enough to transpoin a suitcase were now feasible, ti report said.

The larger, strategic variety ca travel from one continent to an ther, up to 13,000 km, in under 3 minutes, while a single nuclei submarine is capable of destroyin 160 targets, more cities than thet are in the Soviet Union.

"Three nuclear weapons pow ers, France, the United Kingdor and China, apparently conside less than 200 strategic weapons sufficient deterrent." the repor said. "The U.S., however, hi 10,000, the U.S.S.R. 7,400, an both are huilding more."

The report notes that under th deterrent concept, each side rec ognised its vulnerability in the event of nuclear war, but the jump "Throughout the production from deterrent to usability was process there are interconnections now a feature of nuclear strategy and associated dangers -- dangers used to justify further escalation in of theft, terrorism, release of rad-numbers and technology, "It also greatly magnifies the risk that these weapons will he used, and that nuclear war to extinction wilresult," the report says.

Co-sponsors of the study included the New York-hased Institute for World Order, the Roculting from more than 50 test exp- Project Ploughshares and the Bri-losions last year, meant that 'mini tish Council of Churches.

Document · Solely for international security, for legitimate self defence... (or) to participate in regional arrangements.. consistent with the Charter of the U.N.

U.S. Arms Export Control Act (22 USC 2751)

Following are key sections of Arms Export Control Act which has come under intense scrutiny and study by Congress and the Reogon Administration in the wake of Israel's use of American weopons in its invasion and occupation of Lebanon.

The 1952 Mutual Defence Assistance Agreement between the United States and Israel states: "The Government of Israel assures the United States Government that such (defence) equipment, materials, or services as may be acquired from the United States... are required for ond will be used solely to maintain its internal security, its legitimate selfdefence, or to permit it to participate in the defence of the area of which it is a part and that it will not undertake unv act of aggression ogoinst any other state."

Section 1. The need for internalional defence cooperation and

As delcared by the Congress in the Arms Control and Disarmament Act, an ultimate goal of the United States continues to be a world which is free from the scourge of war and the dangers and burdens of armaments; in which the use of force has been subordinated to the rule of law; and in which international adjustments to a changing world are achieved peacefully. In furtherance of that goal, it remains the policy of the United States to cnoourage regional arms races...

... this act authorizes sales by the United States Government to friendly countries having sufficient wealth to maintain and equip their own military forces at adequate strength, or to assume progressively larger shares of the costs thereof, without undue burden to their economies, in accordance with the restraints and control measures specified herein and in a furtherance of the security objectives of the United States and of the purposes and principles of the United Nations Charter...

Section 3. Eligibility

- (a) No defence article or defence service shall be sold by the United States Government under this act to any country or international organisation unless-

(2) the country or international organization shall have agreed not... use or permit the use of such article or related training or other defence service for purposes other than those for which furnished unless the consent of the President has first been obt-

(c)(1)(A) No credits (including participations in credits) may be issued and guaranties may be extended for any foreign country under this Act as hereinafter provided, if such country uses defence articles or defence services furnished under this Act, or any predecessor Act, in substantial violation (either in terms of quantities or in terms of the gravity of the consequences regardless of the quantities involved) of any agreement entered into pursuant to any such Act (i) by using such articles or services for a purpose not authorised under Section 4....

(B) No cash sales or deliveries pursuant to previous sales may be made with respect to any foreign country under this Act as hereinafter provided, if such country uses defence articles or defence services furnished under this Act, or any predecessor Act, in substantial violation (either in terms of quantity or in terms of the gravity of the consequences regardless of the quantitities involved) of any agreement entered into pursuant to any such Act by using such articles or services for a purpose not authorized under Section 4...

(2) The President shall report to the Congress promptly upon the receipt of information that a violation described in a paragraph (1) of this subsection may have occurred. (3)(A) A country shall be deemed to be inelicible under

suhparagraph (A) of paragraph (1) of this subsection.... if the President so determines and so reports in writing to the Congress. or if the Congress so determines by joint resolution. (B) Notwithstanding a determination by the President of ineligibility under subparagraph (B) of paragraph (1) of this sub-

section, cash sales and deliveries pursuant to previous sales may be made if the President certifies in writing to the Congress that a termination thereof would have significant adverse impact on United States Security, unless the Congress adopts or has adopted a joint resolution pursuant to subparagraph (A) of this paragraph with respect to such ineligibility.

14) A country shall remain ineligible in accordance with paragraph 111 of this subsection until such time as-(A) the President determines that the violation has ceased;

(B) the country concerned has given assurances satisfactory to the President that such violation will not recut.

Section 4. Purposes for which military sales by the United States are authorised

 Defence articles and defence services shall be sold by the United States Government under this Act to friendly countries solely for internal security, for legitimate self-defence, to permit the recipient country to participate in regional or collective arrangements or measures consistent with the Charter of the United

Interpretation of the Arms Law

Both the President and Congress have authority to determine whether a "substantial violation" of the AECA or the 1952 Mutual Defence Assistance Agreement has occurred. However, ncither are required by law to make a determination. The President is only required to report to Congress that a possible violation "may have occurred."

Should either the President or Congress exercise their prerogative and determine that in fact a "substantial violation" had occurred, all arms sales, deliveries and issuance of military sales credits to the concerned country are stopped in accordance with

To regain eligibility for arms sales and credits, the concerned country must meet the requirements in Sec. 3(c)(4)(A&B). There is an escape clause, however, in Sec. 3(c)(3)(B) which allows a concerned country to sustain previous cash arms sales and deliveries even though it has been deemed ineligible

The clause states: "Cash sales and deliveries pursuant to previous sales may be made if the President certifies in writing to the Congress that a termination thereof would have significant adverse impact on United States security...

Congress can override such a presidential waiver by joint resolution, and the President can veto a joint resolution. But the Congress has final say in all matters because it can override a Presidential veto by a two-thirds vote in both the Senate and

Cooperative scandal no threat to Kyprianou

By Thomas O'Dwyer

NICOSIA - Cyprus President Spyros Kyprianou, under fire in the run-up to bid for re-election in February, has taken a gamble in issuing a damning report on the worst economic scandal in the island's history.

The report by a commission of inquiry into the running of Cyprus's extensive cooperative organisations was made public last week although it was presented to ministers a year ago. It blames the government, especially successive ministers of commerce and industry, for failing to stop the cooperatives' management squandering dozens of millions of Cyprus pounds and bringing about the collapse of a movement that reached into almost every aspect of commercial life.

Before the report was issued the government had been under attack by opposition parties over several earlier embarrassments since Mr. Kyprianou came to power in 1978. These included allegations that the national airline. Cyprus Airways, has been grossly mismanaged, while a firm given the multi-million-pound contract to huild an inter-city hig-. hway collapsed soon after work started on its.

The commission of inquiry: headed by a supreme court judge. accused the former commissioner (bead) of the cooperatives movement. Andreas Azinas, of mis-

conduct on a massive scale. Mr. Azinas has already served an 18-month jail sentence for misappropriating to8,000 Cyprus' pounds (\$336,000) from the cooperatives. The report also accused him of responsibility for losing the movement some 40 million pounds (\$80 million) between 1975 and his arrest in June 1980, and

management and financial mis-

ton should be taken against him. The cooperatives sprang from village and farm level and, with government blessing, moved into banking, lending to members at low interest rates. At the height of Mr. Azinas's power in 1979, there were over 770 coop branches in Cyprus. "There is not a town or village without a banking or consumers cooperative," said a report

urged that further unspecified act-

issued at the time. Cooperative industries included grapes and wine, shipping traasport, farm produce, canning, tourism and smaller ventures. Many of the industries collapsed or were taken over by private enterprise when the 1980 scandal broke. The movement has been kept going by government aid until it can get back on its feet.

Absolute ruler

The full extent of the cooperatives scandal is revealed for the first time in the inquiry report. It says that Mr. Azinas, though only a public servant, behaved like an absolute ruler of the movement. Hundreds of thousands of pounds were given away for purposes unconnected with the cooperatives, it said.

The cooperative bank may lost up to 40 million Cyprus pounds. (\$80 million), including 19 million (\$38 million) given in aid by the government, the report con-

The government moved quickly after the publication of the report to head off an expected uproar from the opposition, saying it was

proud of its handling of the affair. "From the very first moment the government became aware of the situation, it ordered an inquiry," it said in a statement.

The government spokesman gave no reason for the delay in making the report public. Bul a government source said the report could not have been published before because the government nceded to implement its recommendations in an orderly manner to avoid public alarm and prevent the total collapse of the mov-

The commission recommended

that seven top officials of the movement who served under Mr. Azinas should be sacked, and the post he held be abolished.

The cooperatives should be run by a ministerial committee and the movement's bank should come under the authority of the Cyprus central bank, it said. Several industries set up by Mr. Azinas should also be wound up.
The government said all off-

icials named had been dismissed. Several industries had gone into liquidation while others were being investigated to see if they could be slavaged.

But opposition parties are unlikely to let the government make political capital out of its handling of the affair. Sources close to the right-wing rally party of Glafcos Clerides and the Socialist Edek Party of Vassos Lyssarides have said there are many unanswered questions. Both arc standing against Mr. Kyprianou in the pre-

sidential elections. Whatever hue and cry the opposition raises the government is unlikely to face any immediate danger. The backing of the powerful Communist Party gives Mr. Kyprianou's party a comfortable majority in the House of Representatives so the opposition will be trying mainly to score points against him with the electorate in preparation for the presidential



By Rodney Pinder

BLANTYRE. Malawi - With a rising murmur like an approaching wind sighing through the African grass before a storm, they pad swifily across the stadium, their 6,000 hands softly applauding. They are all the president's women.

In turbans and bright blue and red dresses they move en masse to surround and escort the car bearing their nkhoswe (Guardian and motector) number one." life President Dr. H. Kamuzu Banda.

The brilliant colours of their dresses, all emblazoned with the president's portrait, merge in a sea around his open-backed LanMalawian women play key role in every walk of life drover and 3,000 women, bent in honour, chant melodiously uyo,

uyo Ngwazi mtsogoleh Wamalawi

(here he comes, conquering hero Banda, leader of Malawi) as they Some 40,000 more people, most of them women, rise in the stands of the Kamuzu stadium

beneath a burning sun to welcome

their head of state. It is Mother's Day in Malawi and President Banda has come to be with his mbumba, his women. and they with him.

Mothers' Day, every Oct. 17, is a highlight of Malawi's calendar. The nation is given a day off work to honour its mothers and consider the important role women play in society, with the active

encouragement of the president. Since Dr. Banda returned in 1958 from years in exile in Europe and the United States to lead the then Nyasaland, known as the Cinderella of the British Empire, to independence, women have had a key role in national development.

their traditional position of servility and moulded them into a formidable political machine and engine for social change. In return, diplomats say, the women of Malawi revere their president, displeasure.

providing an unshakeable bed-

rock of support. Women comprise more than half of Malawi's population of six million. Officials say all females, regardless of age, are members of the Malawi Women's League which is pillar of the ruling Malawi

Dr. Banda raised them from Congress Party. Malawi is one-heads, to the labouring men. They party state, so the women are a force in the land.

Party officials said that no male condidates for office stood a chance if he incurred the women's But this is not Western-style

women's lib," said a high official. "Our women work for the good of the nation, not themselves."

Women, he said, help organise rural development projects. They help build schools and clinics, carrying materials, often on their run homecraft lessons and shops and farms. Women have entered the professions and 32 out of 109 members of parliament are fem-

Women act as a channel of communication between village and government and perform the mundane but vital task of colmembership cards.

Before independence in 1964 Dr. Banda mobilised his mbumba against the hated federation of

Rhodesia and Nyasaland which black Malawians regarded as an instrument to exploit their country as a reservoir of cheap labour for the mines and factories of Rho-

Hailing women from all over the country at the Mothers' Day rally, Dr. Banda said this was a lecting party dues and distributing chance to exchange ideas, for the mbumba to get to know one ano-

desia and Zambia.

scandinavian

show room

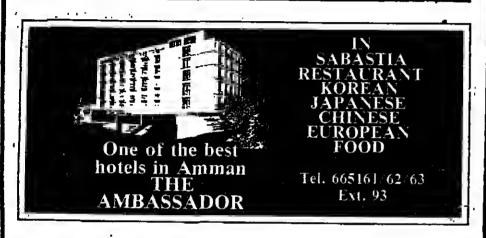
In an effort to encourage national pride in the young country,

Dr. Banda urged the revival c traditional dances. And his mbe mba dance.

For more than three hours the usands of women danced for the resident at the rally -- and D Banda, said to be 76, strode dov from his place of honour in ti stands, his characteristic flywhiwaving, to join in each one, raisit a roar of approval from speciato when he burst into song at the fi

To some outside observers the seene was reminiscent of historic accounts of African kings ec ehrating with their subjects who the first whites arrived on the coetinent the Scottish Missiona David Livingstone.

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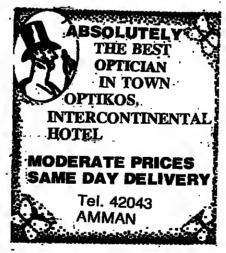
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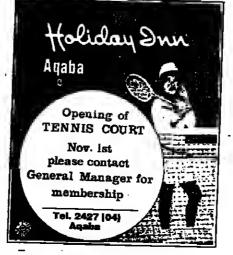
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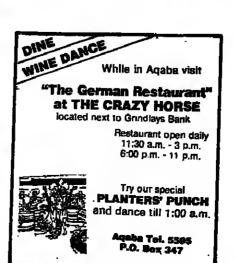


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Magler retains middleweight crown in devastating style

SAN REMO, Italy (R) — Undisputed champion Marvin Hagler retained his world middleweight boxing crown in devastating style here early Sunday-and then thumped out a warning to British cha-

llenger Tony Sibson.
Sibson the World Boxing Association's (WBA) number one contender for the title, was at the ringside two watch Hagler, holder of both the WBA and World Boxing Council (WBC) titles, knock out Venezuelan Fulgencio Obelmejias in the fifth round of their scheduled 15-round bout.

And as jubilant spectators carried the 28-year-old shaven hea-. ded champion from the ring, Hagler shouted to Sibson: "Hey Tony. try to get on good form for when

After watching Hagler's brutal destruction of Obelmejias, his fifth successful title defence since taking both from Britain's Alan Minter in September 1980, Sibson will want as much time as possible to prepare for his clash with the New Jersey-born fighter.

Obelmejias, \$120,000 richer after his battering, put down the defeat to a third round jab in the eye from Hagler. But past and present champions at the ringside agreed he hardly needed an exc-

"No boxer is ever unbeatable," said Italy's Nino Benvenuti, world middleweight champion in the 1960s. "But there is nobody around at the moment who can match Hagler's power."

And world welterweight champion Sugar Ray Leonard paid Hagler this tribute hefore the fight: The only mistake you can make in a fight with Marvin Hagler is to get in the ring with him."

with a lethal right hook after two

Germany's Walter Rohrl sliced 40

minutes off Michele Mouton's

lead in the third and penultimate stage of the Ivory Coast motor

rally Sunday, according to unc-

The scene was set for a com-

onfirmed results.

It was his 42nd knockout victory in 59 professional fights since

But il was only the second time in a career spanning more than 40 fights that Obelmejias, himself a knockout specialist with 35 wins inside the distance, had been beaten. And Hagler was also responsible for the first defeat in January 1980.

The end came quickly for the challenger. After a spirited fight in the first three rounds when he caught the champion with a couple Hagler, who picked up of stinging body hlows. Obe-\$600,000 from the fight, sent limejias began to fade in the fourth Obelmejias crashing to the canvas as Hagler's accurate and powerful punching took its toll.

pelling finish in Monday's final

stage to Ahidjan after Rohrl, dri-

ving an Opel, arrived back in

Mouton, who has led thr-

oughout in an Audi, stayed in first

Yamoussoukro early this morning just 20 minutes behind the French

Rohrl leads in Ivory Coast motor rally

Navratilova too powerful for Lloyd were dashed when Navratilova

BRIGHTON, Ergland (R) -Martina Navratilova confirmed her ranking as the world's number one women's tennis player with a 6-1, 6-4 win over Chris Evert Lloyd in the final of the £88,000 (S149.000) Brighton Grand Prix

Lloyd, the world's number two. admitted to feeling humiliated in the first set as the Czechoslovakborn American unleashed a stream of ferocious wi mers.

Navratilova, ho-der of the Wimhledon. Australian and French titles and beaten just twice in her last 80 matches, produced an awesome display of power ten-nis against her long-term friend and rival.

When Lloyd ventured to the net she found herself passed by Navratilova's bludgeoning forehands and hackhands. If the U.S. Open champion stayed at the back of the

place with an aggregate time of seven hours and 17 minutes after

But Rohri, who started 59 min-

utes behind Mouton, finished with

seven hours 37 minutes, ahead of

the two Toyotas driven by Swedes

Per Eklund and Bjorn Wal-

the 1,713-km third stage.

court she was equally embarrassed by her opponent's histering vol-

Navratilova, who crushed world number three Tracy Austin 6-2, 6-1 in Saturday's semifinal, relaxed slightly in the second set and almost allowed Lloyd back into the match in the eighth game.
Trailing 4-3, Lloyd reached

hreak point when Navratilova sent a relatively simple smash wildly out. But Navratilova denied Lloyd with an exquisite volley, and two forehand winners gave her a 5-3

Lloyd, whose 6-4, 7-5 semifinal win over fellow-American Pam Shriver was her 31st consecutive victory since losing to Navratilova in the Wimbledon final, then held

But her hopes of a late revival

tilles when she lost to Shriver in

Navratilova, pipped for the grand slam of the four major open the U.S. Open, was delighted with her triumph in Europe's richest indoor event.

"When you're playing as well as I did yesterday and in the first set against Chris there's always a niggling fear at the back of your mind that it's suddenly going to end." she said. Lloyd, who will lead the Ame-

rican challenge against Britain in the Wightman Cup in London next week, admitted: "I felt humiliated in the first set. It reached the stage where I just wanted to win a few games.

94 nations compete in Chess Olympiad

LUCERNE, Switzerland (R) — Teams from 94 nations began play here Saturday in the Biennial Chess Olympiad with the Swiss pairing system pitting relatively unequal teams against each other.

The first round of the 14-round contest saw all the favoured teams emerge unscathed. The Soviet Union, which has sent one of its most impressive teams to the 1982 event, played at full strength against New Zealand, in contrast to many squads which chose to rest several of their top players in anticipation of future matches.

Viktor Korchnoi, the perennial contender for the World Championship, led the Swiss team to a 4-0 victory over Luxembourg, to the delight of the local audience. The former Soviet chess grandmaster has lived in Switzerland since defecting to the West in

Depleted South Australia keeps English cricketers under pressure

ADELAIDE (R) - England's another 35 minutes midway for crickelers were kept under precomfortably served out for the ssure by a depleted South Australia attack on the first day of their four-day match Sunday.

The touring team, with captain and fast bowler Bob Willis ruled out by illness, were 257 for six at the close against a South Australia side lacking new ball pair Rodney Hogg and Joel Garner.

Willis made a late withdrawal with a persistent stomach virus. Manager Doug Insole said: "It's not a major problem and it will clear up in a couple of days. But we re not taking any chances with the first test starting soon."

All-rounder Ian Botham, who was not originally in the side, replaced Willis and was made acting captain.

Botham won the toss and chose to hat, but only Alian Lamb, who hit a dashing 78, and Gooff Cook, with 58, capitalised on a docile

The absence of former test bowler Hogg, who failed a fitness test this morning, and West Indian Garner, who was rested, gave left arm fast bowler Roh Christensen the chance to make a promising

Christensen, a 22-year-old state colts representative, caused early trouble with his late swing after showers delayed the start by 12 minutes and interrupted play for

ough the first session.

England loss opening batsman Graeme Fowler for 10 after only 18 minutes of play when he had he off stump knocked back by lekarm fast bowler Rob Christensen, making his debut for the state side.

Fellow Opener Chris Tavare grafted characteristically for 20 in 3 minutes before lunch-taken as 49 for one-and was out for 29 made in two hours.

Cook, a contender for one of the test opening spots but who batled at number three, enhanced his chances with a solid 58 in 145 minutes, including six boundaries.

England stepped up the scoring rate in the afternoon session by adding 99 for the loss of three wir-After the dismissal of Tavare

and Cook. Botham looked likely to stamp his authority when he took 11 off spinner Malcolm Dolman in his first over.

But Botham fell for 18 off possibly the worst delivery of the day when he pulled a short ball from Dolman straight to Christensen on the square leg boundary.

Lamb and Derek Randail, who made a typically perky 31 with five fours, shared a fifth wicket partnership of 79 before both were dismissed by leg spinner Peter Sleep while only nine were added.

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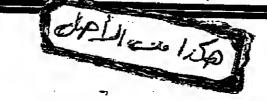
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Soviet official says grain harvest would be higher

MOSCOW (R) — Soviet Agr. it the worst since 1975.

Sentrum Minister Valentin Mes- A harvest of 176 milli yats has said his country's grain harvest this year would be 27 mil-"lion tonnes higher than the 1981 crop, according to reliable Canadien sources in Moscow.
They said Mr. Mesyats told

them the figure after be had returned on Thursday from an 11 day visit to Canada during which he had talks with Canadian Agriculture Minister Eugone Whelan.

The sources said they had heard reports, which they could not confirm, that Mr. Mesyats had estimated this year's Soviet grain harvest at 176 million tonnes.

That figure, should it prove correct, would suggest that the 1981 harvest figure, which Moscow bas also withheld, might bave been as low as 149 million tonnes, making

A harvest of 176 million tonnes this year would also be well below the official annual target of 235 million tonnes.

The size of the barvest is a major factor in deciding how much grain Moscow might import from such exporters as the United States and Argentina. Soviet imports have assumed political overtones since the Carter administration imposed a grain embargo on the Soviet Union after Moscow's intervention in Afghanistan in 1979.

Western agricultural analysts say a crop of 149 million tonnes for 1981 would be in line with heavy hints by Soviet officials that last year's harvest was disastrous. It would compare with the 1975 crop of 140 million tonnes.

iculture Department (USDA) has estimated the 1981 crop at 175 millioo tonnes, while it says this year's barvest will be 170 million

Mr. Mesvats said at a press conference when French Farm Minister Edith Cresson was in Moscow in mid-October that this year's barvest would "not be a record," but would be better than last vear.

In spite of what seems to be another poor performance in the fields, the Soviet Union is not hurrying into making major grain

The USDA says Moscow will need to import 40 million tonnes as a result of current shortfall, but Soviet-U:S. regular grain talks ended in Vienna three days ago with no clear idea of Soviet buying intentions.

latest in a series planned by the

West German trade union fed-

eration (DGB). Last Saturday.

BAHRAIN (R) - Trade min-

isters of the six-nation Gulf Coo-

peration Council (GCC) have

recommended the formation of a

ministerial committee to coo-

rdinate their import and export

policies, the official Saudi Press

istant secretary-general for eco-

nomic affairs Dr. Mohammad Al

Quwaiz as saying the ministers

also agreed that a committee sho-

uld be set up to negotiate pur-

chases of important commodities

for member-states. He did not

The agency quoted council ass-

Agency reported.

AEG's court-appointed receiver. Wilhelm Andreas Schaaf, said confirmation that the order had been signed would not be avashould deal with cases where forcign firms overpriced goods sold to the six-member states. Dr. Ouwaiz said. Saudi Arabian Commerce Min-

coordination of trade policies

in the Saudi Arabian capital of

Rivadh Saturday night, also agr-

GCC ministers recommend

ister Suleiman Abdul Aziz Al Salim Saturday urged the council to take a firm stand against foreign firms which overpriced products or made high tender bids.

The six-member states -- Saudi Arabia, Kuwait, Bahrain, Qatar, Oman and the United Arab Emirates - are all oil producers and The ministers, who ended talks rely heavily on foreign goods and

The conference, which ended ced that the council secretariat one day early, also decided to set up a special committee to draw up a unified policy regarding stockpiling of food and its distribution in emergencies.

> A proposal for a central body for standardisation and measures was also approved by the ministers, whose decisions will be put to a council summit conference in Bahrain on Nov. 9.

The ministers will hold their second annual conference in Kuwait next year. No date was

Favourable order expected on AEG

The burden of debt repayments

forced AEG to apply oo Aug. 9

for a form of court-supervised

debt restructuring known under

West German law as "com-

The signing of this weekend's

court order will mean preliminary

discussions between AEG and the

receiver's office bave shown the

plans are feasible and warrant a

ilable until after midnight.

position proceedings."

FRANKFURT (R) - Bankers here expect a court order to be signed this weekend opening proceedings by which West Germany's second-largest electrical firm, AEG-Telefunken, will seek relief on its debts of more than seven billion marks (\$2.4 billion).

court hearing, banking sources

AEG will then have 18 months under West German law to reach a settlement with its creditors and prove to the court it can repay 40

It is asking for the remaining 60 per cent to be written off--a proposal to which more than half the creditors, holding 80 per cent of AEG's debt, would have to agree company's debt restructuring for it to be granted.

jeopardize your reputation. per cent of its debt. VIRGO (Ang. 22 to Sept. 22) Think along lines of adding to present activities that will help you develop. Strive for increased happiness.

LIBRA (Sept. 23 to Oct. 22) Business pressures could be overwhelming if you do not atudy proper procedures.

FORECAST FOR MONDAY, NOV. 1, 1982

GENERAL TENDENCIES: Today's planetary posi-

tions can help you put your practical affairs on a more

solid and secure structure. A good time to improve your

ARIES (Mar. 21 to Apr. 19) Handle important business

matters early in the day for best results. Later seek advice

TAURUS (Apr. 20 to May 20) Plan how to improve your

GEMINI (May 21 to Juna 21) Make sure you carry

MOON CHILDREN (June 22 to July 21) Make sure you

LEO (July 22 to Aug. 21) You have to use more thought

and logic to sdvance in business affairs. Be careful not to

are fair and square with associates in all your dealings.

through with promises you have made to others. Ba wary

appearance and begin with bealth treatments you may

YOUR DAILY

from an expert concerning future affairs.

need. Plan to make your social life more ideal.

of those who have harmed you in the past.

Don't let your heart rule your mind.

property and possessions.

from the Carroll Righter Institute

Stop laboring under a false delusion. SCORPIO (Oct. 23 to Nov. 21) Begin the week properly by knowing in advance what must be done to be suc-

cessful. Think constructively. SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22 to Dec. 21) Study your money situation well and takes ateps to improve your position in

life. Relax tonight and restore your energies. CAPRICORN (Dec. 22 to Jan. 20) Make sure you invest within your means. Start & new trend in anything of a

creative nature in your line of endeavor. AQUARIUS (Jan. 21 to Feb. 19) Stop daydreaming and engage in practical matters that await your attention.

Make the evening a happy one. PISCES (Feb. 20 to Mar. 20) Make sure any reports you

make out are accurate. Study new ways to gain tha personal aims that are important to your welfare. IF YOUR CHILD IS BORN TODAY . . . be or she will

have excellent ideas where money and practical affairs are concerned, but is likely to keep changing them if not taught to be consistent, and to complete what has once been started. Then maturity can bring much success.

"The Stars impel, they do not compel." What you make of your life is largely up to you!

W. Germans renew protests

STUTTGART, West Germany (R) - More than 180,000 West Germans took to the streets Saturday in renewed trade union protests against unemployment and cuts in social benefits.

In Stuttgart, about 150,000

WASHINGTON (R) - With sco-

res of countries running short of

cash, bartering is coming back in a

the industrial powers.

East-West trade.

tering goods.

"a return to the ice agc."

big way, much to the annoyance of

A Belgian trade official calls it

While reliable statistics are bard

to come by Mr. Fred Howell, a

U.S. Commerce Department eco-

nomist, says barter arrangements

are a growing phenomenon on a

global scale, not just a matter of

A report recently presented to

the European Parliament says that

between 10 and 15 per cent of

trade with Eastern Europe is

being done under partial com-

pensation deals that involve bar-

It said these so-called buy-back

deals, in which a Western supplier

must take goods from East Eur-

ope as part payment, are gaining

ground more rapidly than any

But in the developing world

countries are also becoming more

dependent on bartering because

they are unable to borrow more

and must conserve scarce cash

A survey by Reuler cor-

respondents reveals that some

governments, like Mexico and

THE BETTER HALF

reserves to repay loans.

other form of compensation.

people heard union leaders attack the economic policies of the new government of conservative Chancellor Helmut Kohl. In Hanover, about 30,000 marched through

But the United States Agr-

the streets.

Venezuela, are reluctant to even'

talk about bartering for fear of rai-

ancial status.

her have the cash.

ive economically.

200,000 people turned out in The demonstrations were the

Dortmund, Frankfurt and Nurartering is coming back in a big

> sing questions about their finrying Western governments. "We can't actually prohibit barter trade," complains Mr. Ray-mond Waldmann, Commerce Others, like the United States, say it is inevitable but would rat-

> Department assistant secretary Brazil, starved for foreign excfor international economic policy. hange and struggling with \$80 bil-'But this administration's pollion in debt, is a prime case of a icy is to oppose barter trade arrcountry that needs to barter to surangements that impose counter trade arrangements," he said in

expressing a view shared by many

Occidental Petrolcum of Los

Angeles and the Soviet Union in

HEY, CHUCK, I SEE

WE'RE BOWLING ON THE

SAME LANES_AND LOOK

AT THESE HANDICAPS...

Peanuts

Officials in Brasilia say that by exporting armoured vehicles, cars, in the European Community heasteel products and farm products dquarters in Brussels. to oil-producing countries, it can Mr. Waldmann said that barter offset the dollar payments needed to buy oil. Brazil imports 68 per arrangements tend to inhibit free trade by forcing U.S. firms to swap cent of its oil needs. their goods for inferior or exp-Iran, for example, has agreed to ensive goods they may have difficulty unloading in the domestic resume oil supplies to Brazil in

return for more than \$200 million market. U.S. officials say small and worth of soyabeans and manufactured products. middle-sized American firms are Mr. Shigeaki Ueki, president of ill-equipped to analyse the longthe Brazilian state oil company term marketability of products Petrobras, said be hopes to make received in barter deals, making

similar arrangements with Iraq and Nigeria and a crude-oil swap Mr. Ron De Marines, an analyst deal bas already been made with for the U.S. International Trade said: "We do investigate them Commission, did a study last March of barter arrangements by While there is some sympathy in the industrial world for such U.S. firms and found that at least deals--U.S. Agriculture Secretary 30 have now formed internal org-

anisations to deal with bartering. John Block recently suggested trading surplus American grain For the chemical business alone, U.S. firms will handle over

\$1 billion a year by the mid-1980s in barter trade. By Vinson While some firms have taken big losses on barter deals, other deals have returned buge profits. He cited a 1977 deal between

which Occidental provideed a for oil from Indonesia and Nigeria -- the general trend is worphosphate fertiliser plant in return for ammonia valued at \$1 billion a year for 20 years.

But Mr. Henry Orenstein, manager of offset and couoter trade programmes at aircraft manufacturer McDonnell Douglas, described a deal that the company did as part of a sale to Yugoslavaia of 250 planes, delivery of which was completed last year.

McDonnell Douglas bad to agree to belp market Yugoslav goods such as hams, textiles, leather goods, foods, wine, beer, mineral water and travel tours. But it has been able to sell the

\$5 million worth of hams only to its own employees and suppliers and bas had to offer the trips to Yngoslavia as incentives to its employees. The obvious drawbacks aside,

Mr. Orenstein said: "A quarter of a billion dollars in aircraft exports. helps U.S. jobs. "We're not going out looking for arrangements like this," he

wherever counter trading may assist in the sale of our products." The rise in bartering was underlined at a meeting in Managua of Central American economic ministers and central bank governors

who put bartering on the agenda for the first time. "We have to analyse barter to regulate and order it," said Mr. Orlando Solozarno, a Nicaraguan official who organised the mec-

He called bartering a last-resort measure that his country hoped to

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YOU'LL NEED 'EM, CHUCK.

phase out when foreign exchange became more available. "Barter is not a panacea solving all problems, as some would bel-

ieve," Mr. Solozarno told Reu-'Consequently it is not a substitute for normal trade. Rather it is an abnormal procedure that has

to be used in certain economic sectors facing paralysis for lack of import or export capacity." This dislike of baving to barter is also true for Mexico, which bas kept silent on its dealings despite

statements from other countries that they are swapping exports for Mexican crude oil. Guatemala had earlier said it had discussed trading meat for Mexican oil, Brazil said in Seplember it had wrapped up its deal

lo trade products for Mexican crude, and in Tegucigalpa Honduran officials said they were sending a delegation to Mexico City for talks on bartering arr-In Venezuela energy ministry

ources said the government's philosophy is to avoid bartering. But two years ago Caracas raised to 100,000 barrels a day from 60,000 the amount of oil it ships to Brazil after Brazil supplied 200,000 tonnes of sugar.

It also beld unsuccessful talks with Italy to deliver oil and iron ore for Italian fertilisers and technical knowledge.

While Latin countries are reluctant to admit their need for cashless exchanges. China is actively promoting the idea even though its foreign exchange reserves are

WHAT'S THIS?! HERE'S

PINS! WHO WOULD TAKE A

Somebody with a "one*"*

AVERAGE! HE GETS 179

HANDICAP LIKE THAT ?!!

adequate. There have been recent reports that Chinese provincial authorities were proposing barter deals to potential Japanese suppliers. In one case, Liaoning province

was offering minerals, metals, toilet paper, plastic slippers and ginseng, a herbal remedy, for refined petroleum products and equipment. More widespread is compensation trading in which a for-

eign firm provides machinery and technology for a project and China repays it over a period of time with products from the plant. One Western source said "the Chinese won't pay a red cent" for

the development of their oil and

coal reserves under deals struck with foreign oil companies. The most ambitious such project is a planned venture with Occidental Petroleum to develop the world's biggest coal mine, the Pingshuo open-cut mine in northern Shanxi province. The Americans will put in expertise and capital

and sbare the income with China

on coal sales. The Chinese are trying to extend such deals into lessmarketable commodities. Western sources said. A Chinese knitwear factory, for example, is seeking new knitting machines but wants to pay for them in sweaters.

which may be hard to sell. In Brussels, Belgian trade officials said such deals raised the overbead for Western firms considerably because they often had to pay commissions of up to 10 per cent to sell the goods.

JOE SANDBAGGER!

THE Daily Crossword by Judson G. Trent

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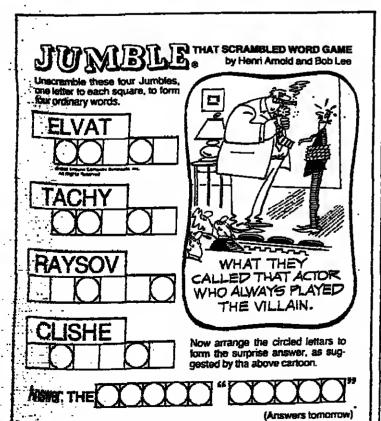
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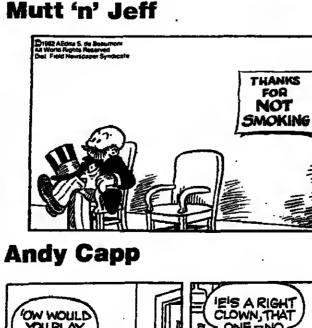
'We're late . . . skip the second coat."



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Answer: If you don't have a leg to atand on, it's best

















WORLD

Britain lobbies to check Argentine call at U.N. for talks on Falklands

LONDON (R) — The British government is lobbying members of the United Nations to reject an Argentine call for fresh negotiations on the Falklands dispute, according to officials here.

The issue of the South Atlantic islands, which Britain recaptured from an Argentine invasion force in June, comes up for debase at the

general assembly on Tuesday.

The assembly will consider a Latin American-sponsored resolution that calls for the two sides to resume talks on finding a speedy

solution to the sovereignty question. The resolution will gain the automatic support of the 20 Latin American republies that sponsored it. Further backing from the Soviet bloc and a large number of Third World countries is expected to secure its adoption by the General Assembly.

Although General Assembly resolutions are not binding on member states, Mrs. Margaret Thatcher's government is seeking the maximum number of negative votes, or at least abstentions, in the

Not least for domestic political reasons, the British government appears adamant about not discussing the Falklands with the Argentines in the foreseeable future. The British government also has more formal reasons for not

wishing to negotiate at the present time, although talks at some future stage are not ruled out.

Foreign Secretary Francis Pym told the General Assembly late last month that Argentina must prove it had renounced the use of force in the Falklands and declare a definitive end to hostilities before any negotiations could begin.

Despite wide international support for the British case during the Falklands crisis. Britain has linle chance of seeing the Latin American resolution thrown out by the General Assembly.

It follows closely in the footsteps of previous General Assembly resolutions calling for a peaceful, negotiated settlement of the dispute in the context of decolonisation.

Britain objects to references to colonialism in the latest draft resolution. It argues that the 1,800 Falklanders are solidly in favour of remaining under British administration and that they should be allowed to do so in line with the U.N. recognised right of self-

Voting intentions in the General Assembly are traditionally kept secret and it is not yet known whether Britain's Common Market allies, which joined sanctions against Argentina during the crisis, will vote against the Latin American resolution.

Argentina confident of resolution in its favour

BUENOS AIRES (R) - Foreign Minister Juan Ramon Aguirre Lanari is heading Argentina's delegation to a U.N. debate on the Falkland (Malvinas) Islands this week, fairly confident that a pro-Argentine resolution will be adopted.

Foreign ministry sources said the Argentine government was moderately optimistic a Latin America bloc resolution, calling on Britain to renew negotiations with Argentina over the future of the islands. would be passed by the General Assembly.

The U.N. vote is seen as crucial in Argentina, which has underraken a diplomatic offensive to seek international support for its claim to sovereignty over the Falklands.

Argentina is guaranteed the solid backing of Latin America, where 20 countries have declared their support for the U.N. draft resolution. Originally proposed by Mexico, it calls on Argentina and Britain to hold talks on the future of the Falkland Islands under the auspices of the U.N. secretary-general.

The sources refused to comment on how the United States would vote. Diplomatic sources said Washington would almost certainly

U.S. arms sales in '82 reach record figure

WASHINGTON (R) - The United States will ring up record for-eign arms sales this year, with Saudi Arabia again its biggest cus-tomer. according to Defence Department records.

Final figures for the 1982 finmeial year which ended on Sept. 50 are not yet in. But preliminary totals released by the Pentagon how military sales will exceed 521.4 billion nearly treble last year's \$7.2 billion total.

Saudi Arabia agreed to sales worth \$5.5. billion this year and mother \$5.4 billion later.

The figures reflect the push President Reagan has given to foreign arms sales, although defence officials said the 1982 and 1981 fig-

ures are somewhat deceptive. They noted that the 1982 total would drop in coming years as

some buyers backed out and the 1981 figure was for the first year of the Reagan administration, when some proposed sales were help up until foreign policy goals were defined

The policy that emerged was actively to seek arms sales, providing arms to nations which sided with the United States in East-West issues and to neutral nations which might be swung round to the U.S. side.

Officials said the Reagan policy's full impact will not show up until next year. In 1980, the last year of the Car-

limit sales to stop regional arms races, the total was \$14 billion.

This year's Saudi sales total was pushed up by five Boeing Airborne Warning and Control System (AWACS) planes, which cost \$8.5 hillion. This was one of the higgest arms sales in history and was fiercely opposed by Israel and its supporters in the U.S.

ter administration which tried to

The sale was split into separate credited to 1982. The rest will sbow up in 1983 figures.

Other major sales to Saudi Arabia have been to construct training facilities, ports and airfields as part of the U.S.-assisted programme to modernise the Saudi Union.

military forces.
Saudi sales in 1981 totalled \$800 million. Previously annual sales were about \$3 billion.

Australia was the second higgest 1982 customer but its S2.9 hillion total was due almost solely to 75 McDonnell Douglas F/A-J 8 fighter-bombers. Previous Australian sales had been between \$300 and 400 million a year.

In third place this year was Egypt, with sales of \$2.1 billion, including 40 General Dynamics F-16 fighters.

The United States has been Egypt's chief weapons supplier since the early 1970s, when President Anwar Sadat ended his country's arms link with the Soviet

Independents enliven American mid-term elections

WASHINGTON (R) — More and Democrats. han 270 independent candidates. anging from ultra-conservatives Communists, are jostling for otes in Tuesday's mid-term conressional elections under such logans as "politicians are crooks" nd God, family and country.

Lumped together as third party andidates because they campaign utside the two major political parties, many simply want to make statement about their political eliefs and do not expect to be lected to Congress.

A third of the 10tt-member enate and the entire 435-seat louse of Representatives are up or election.

Herbert Shaw of Bergen, New ersey, says he expects to lose as e has done in the last 12 conressional compaigns. But he says is platform "politicians are croks" gives even the disenchanted oters something to believe in. Shaw, an engineer with a steel ompany, said. "I don't like the ict that congressmen can be bou-

In keeping with his convictions, haw does not accept any conibutions and he has spent less ian \$100 on his entire campaign. With the retirement this year of 'irginia Sen. Harry Byrd. an indpendent who sat with the Demcrats. Congress is expected to onsist entirely of Republicans

BY CHARLES GOREN

AND OMAR SHARIF

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South you hold:

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The hidding has proceeded:

North East South West

Pass 2 Pass

1 Pass 1 4 Pass

What action do you take?

Q.3-Neither vulnerable, as

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The bidding has proceeded:

South West North East

you hold:

GOREN BRIDGE

There has not been a strong ning in several states to test voters' third-party she vine in Congres since the mid-1930s when there were 13 members from the progressive and farmer-labour parties of the upper Midwest.

The best known of the minor groups is the Libertarian Party which advocates a smaller role for government. Its presidential can-didate, Ed Clark, won J. J per cent of the vote in 1980 and it has 167 scats in 20 state legislatures.

The Libertarians expect to gain only four seats in Alaska's state legislature in next week's poll. Some independent candidates

find it hard to get their message across because voters dislike their party names. "Communist is a scare-word,"

says Joelle Fishman, the only Communist Party candidate for Congress. Running her eighth compaign, she has stressed the need for jobs and has spent about \$10,000.

No Communist has ever been elected to Congress.

Socialist parties also have trouble. The Socialist, Socialist Workers, and Socialist Labour parties stand in each election. But the Socialists have not had a successful candidate since Meyer London sat in Congress for New York from 1915 to 1918. On the conservative side, right-

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. WASHINGTON (R) - Women's groups in America are timing to bring out the female vote for Tuesday's elections in a drive that could spell real trouble for President Ronald Reagan and his Republicans.

The aim is to elect more women and more men who are symnathetic to women's issues to the congressional and state offices

But the effect would almost certainly be bad news in voting trends for Mr. Reagan's side and a boost

Isters call "the gender gap".

49 per cent of men. Another survey found that 53 per cent of women support the Democratic Party and only 36 per

Moreover, women . outnumber men in the United States, and have been voting in greater numbers than men-but they have not emerged as a real, unified pressure

Such a voting bloc is what femmost intensive political drive they have ever launched.

suited to their efforts is that, even though President Reagan's own joh is not at stake, his controversial policies of cutting spending on domestic benefit programmes while raising defence

backing for anti-abortion leg-

islation. Anna Bourgois, a mother of seven and a partner with her husband in a dairy farm outside Baldwin, North Dakota, is running for Senate on the "God, family and country" ticket.

Mrs. Bourgois wants to make a point for lower interest rates, across, more than 20 groups repanti-ahortion legislation and nuclear energy.

While voters overwholmingly choose the established Democratic and Republican parties, many states offer something for everyone. California has 40 altemative candidates, Texas 32, New Jersey 27, Michigan 23 and several states have over 10.

Consumers, citizens, free labour, grass roots, liberals, peace and freedom, American independents, one unbossed independent and one no-slogan will be on ballots next week.

'The gender gap'

that are at stake on Nov. 2.

for the Democrats. The reason is what opinion pol-Women are far more critical

than men of Mr. Reagan and his policies. In one recent poll, only 36 per cent of women approved of his performance compared with

cent the Republicans.

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inists now aim to create in the

What makes this election welloutlays and reducing taxes are at in Arkansas.

to-life party candidates are run- issue almost everywhere. . "This year, candidates across the map know the gender gap is not just a figment of some pol-

Ister's imagination." said Kathy Wilson, head of the national women's political caucus. "They know it pays to listen to women and that, frankly, they

can't afford not to." To make sure the message gets resenting about 10 million women--from staunch feminists to the Young Women's Christian Association (YWCA)-have joi-

ned forces to get out the women's The coalition has launched a public relations hlitz tied to the slogan "it's a man's world... unless women vote." It includes radio and television spots in which female celebrities urge women to "vote for candidates who will

make things better." The women are also tailoring their drive to general interest political issues, not just feminist issues such as abortion and an equal rights amendment to the constitution.

"For women, the economic stakes in this election are especially high," said Kathy Wilson.

'Over four million women are out of jobs and, for the 44 million that do have work, their pay cheques are by and large lower than

Women also express concern over Republican handling of the social security pension system. cuts in education benefits and reduced programmes for the eld-

They have given widespread support to nuclear freeze proposals that are on the ballot in nine states and some 30 localities. Mr. Reagan disapproves of the freeze proposal.

At national level, the organisation is backing candidates in 112 races and has contributed some \$1 million to them. There are now 20 women in the

House of Representatives--10 from each party-and two famale senators, both Republicans. Women seem likely to increase their representation this year, with 55 seeking House seats and two

seeking election to the Senate besides tha two already there. Women's organisations traditionally endorse female candidates, but many this year are Pope and the nuns and priests he

also backing men who address the issues of major concern to women. Recent polls have shown women's support giving leads to such democratic candidates for state governorships as Mario Cuomo in New York, Tom Bradley in California and Bill Clinton

Chinese defector arrives in Taiwan

TAIPEI (R) - A defecting reward for his defection. Communist Chinese air force pilot arrived from South Korea Sunday and told Nationalist officials he decided to risk his life in an escape to freedom, the defence ministry

said. Capt. Wu Yung-Ken, 25, who flew his MiG-19 fighter to Seoul two weeks ago, reached Taipei aboard a Taiwanese airliner after the Seoul government had agreed on humanitarian grounds to let him come to the Nationalist-ruled island, ministry spokesman Maj. Gen. Wang Miao said.

The pilot was quoted as telling two Nationalist escorting officials on the flight from Seoul to Taipei that he took his life in his hands when he decided to make his getaway to South Korea. Taiwan was too far for his fighter to reach.

The military spokesman said Capt. Wu would hold a press conference in the next few days.

Capt. Wu left his father, mother, two brothers and a sister in China. He flew his MiG to South Korea from Shantung province where he was stationed with a reconnaissance unit.

Authoritative sources said be was likely to be informed that he would receive a handsome cash

Argentine junta bans magazine

BUENOS AIRES (R) - Argentina's military government has ordered the indefinite closure of the weekly news magazine Semana, apparently for insulting the armed forces, sources at the magazine said.

A decree ordering the closure and signed by President Reynaldo Bignone Saturday said the government "could not allow the systematic development of degrading actions against essential ins-

titutions of the republic." The decree did not specify what offending material Semana had published. But the cover of its latest edition carried a photograph of humorist Gerardo Sofovich wearing a military cap and mimicking an army officer.

A recent dispute between the humorist and military officers controlling programmes on the staterun television has received widespread coverage in the Argentine

The closure of Semana, which has a circulation of about 100,000. was reported on the front page of most Argentine newspapers and was criticised in the Clarin and English language Herald.

The ruling military junta last weck issued a stern warning to the Argentine press, which has recently published a flood of reports damaging to the government's

The reports concerned the discovery of unmarked mass graves presumed to contain the bodies of hundreds of people who disappeared during the armed forces' 'dirty war' against leftist guerrillas in the late 1970s, and the morder of a number of people whose deaths have been linked to the private interests of senior military figures.

It was not known how hig the reward would be, but under an official scale an air force pilot who brings a MiG-19 to Taiwan is entfiled to 4,000 tacks of gold tmore than S2 million).

That was the amount given to Fan Yuan-Yen, a pilot who flew to Taiwan from Fukien in a MiG-19 in July 1977.

In his first public appearance in South Korea since he landed at an air base south of Seoul in a MiG-19 fighter on Oct. 16, Capt. Wu Yung-Ken said he was gratified by South Korea's decision to let him travel to Taiwan as soon as possible.

"I hated the controlled Communist society in China and had been looking for the first opportunity to escape." the 25-

year-old pilot told a press conference at the South Korean defcoce ministry.

He said he took off in the MiG-19 soon after midday and headed straight for South Korea.

Six minutes later he was ordered by Chinese authorities to turn his plane back, but he ignored the order and entered South Korcan airspace half an hour after takeof£

The pilot gave no details about his reported pursuit by other Chinese planes or how he came to arrive at Shinchonri airbase, designated as K-16, about 16 kilometres from Seoul.

Wearing a blue suit and tie, the short and slender captain faced about 100 reporters and spoke quietly with a slight smile flickering across his face at times.

Some Soviet diplomats in Britain to be sent back

LONDON (R) - Several Sovies diplomats and key officials in London are expected to be sent back to Moscow following interrogation of a Soviet defector, according to a Sunday Telegraph

newspaper report.

The paper, in Sunday's early editions, said some diplomats might have left quietly already. The British Foreign Office declined to comment but opposition

Lahour parliamentarian Ted Leadbitter said he would send a formal question on the report to Foreign Secretary FrancisPym.

Press reports have said Vladimir Kuzichin, an official at the Soviet embassy in Iran who recently defected to Britain, has provided identities of hundreds of Soviet security service (KGB) officers in the

Middle East and some in Britain. The Sunday Telegraph said there was no suggestion of a large scale purge of Soviet diplomats in London.

In 1971 Britain expelled 105 Soviet diplomats and officials in a big anti-espionage operation. The Sunday Telegraph said if Britain expelled Soviet officials it would help the Conservative government save face after U.S. press reports of a grave Soviet infiltration of British intelligence.

2 rivals vie for Japan's top job

TOKYO (R) — Two main rivals are emerging in elections for president of Japan's ruling Liberal Democratic Party (LDP) next month, Kyodo news agency said Sunday.

The presidency carries the post of prime minister with it by virtue of the party's parliamentary majority. Four candidates were left in the running after party leaders failed to agree on a successor to Prime Minister Zenko Suzuki, who res-

igned as LDP president on Oct. 12. Yasuhiro Nakasone, director-general of the administrative management agency, and Toshio Komoto, director-general of the economic planning agency, appeared each to have gained 260,000 supporters out of 1,040,000 eligible party members. Kyodo said.

Shintaro Abe, international trade and industry minister, appeared to have about 100,000 committed supporters and Jehiro Nakagawa, director-general of the science and technology agency, about 50,000.

Sadat's brother jailed

CAIRO (R) — The brother of the late President Anwar Sadat has been jailed pending trial on charges of masterminding a spectacular series of husiness swindles, the Egyptian prosecutor general's office announced Sun-

Ismat Sadat, 57, and three of his sons were taken to Tora prison south of Cairo on Friday, an off-

icial said. Mr. Sadat's four wives and 12 other children have been forhidden to leave Egypt while teams. of investigators go through reports of crooked deals in towns from the Mediterranean coast to the Gulf

The investigators say their inquiries point to the involvement of several government ministers and provincial governors. Newspapers have predicted a major scandal when the case comes to trial in January.

Reports leaked to the press from the prosecutor's office told of millions of Egyptian pounds paid by prospective home buyers to a cooperative huilding society which turned out to be fraudulent.

All assets of the Sadat family have been impounded during the inquiries. In a recent statement the prosecution said Mr. Sadat, his three wives and 15 children 'committed acts which were bound to harm the economic interests of the Socialist society and corrupt the political life of the

The mass of press comment on the case has brought no suggestion of direct involvement by President Sadat, who was assassinated on Oct. 6, 1981.

Spanish anti-Pope turns up his nose at Pope John Paul during visit to Spain

By Brian Mooney

MADRID (R) - A blind former insurance salesman and a small band of fanatical followers are among the few Spaniards who do not intend to welcome Pope John

Paul when he arrives Sunday. For Clemente Dominguez Gomez, 36, claims to be Pope himself and has set up a rival papacy in his native city of Seville.

Claiming in addition the title of universal emperor with the rights to make and unmake kings and alter national frontiers, he crowned himself Pope Gregory XVII

four years ago. The Roman Catholic authorities in Spain and the Vatican dismiss Clemente's papacy as the product of a lunatic fringe and have warned followers that it is he saw that be agreed to ordain the two men.

But, like other anti-Popes through the ages, Clemente has gathered supporters for his "holy. Catholic, apostolic and palmarian" church which is based in an unfinished Basilica some 40 kilometres south of Seville. Rome and it was made clear to the There, the self-proclaimed

has created in his encourage enact regular services. The Basilica, consisting of six large concrete steeples and a vast concrete dome, stands in a field at

Palmar de Troya. The field was the scene of what four children claimed was a vision of the Virgin Mary in 1968. Others later claimed the same vision and the spot attracted many pil-

One of them was Clemente

Dominguez who, with a friend, Manuel Alouso Corral, bought the field in 1969. They set up a small community around a shrine hut were prevented from engaging in religious

ceremonies because neither was

That problem was solved by the arrival of retired Vietnamese Bishop Ngo-Dinh-Thuc. The pair persuaded the hishop, who was in his eighties and living

an ordained priest.

in a monastery near Rome, to visit their shrine in 1975. Spanish eburch officials say it has never been clear what happened next but they relate that the bishop was so impressed by what

On new year's day, 1976, Clemente became a priest in an ostentatious ceremony and less than two weeks later he was elevated to a bishop. The news caused uproar in

Vietnamese bishop that he had. been wrong. Three months later, the bishop wrota to the cardinal archbishop of Seville apologising for his actions and to Pope Paul VI imp-

The letters, written in French, were published in Seville to discredit Senor Clemente. But it was too late. Clemente

loring forgiveness.

now assumed the traditional church right according to which a bishop can ordain both other bishops and priests.

Ha started to anomt and ordain followers and established a new order, the Carmelites of Santa Fez (the holy face). With the aid of donations, the Basilica began to rise over the tawny landscape of Palmar de Troya.

gory XVII. He proclaimed he would save the Roman Catholic church from Communists and Masons. Since then he has ruled his cburch with a mixture of oldfashioned ritual and extravagant

When Paul VI died in 1978,

Clemente held a rival conclave

and emerged from it as Pope Gre-

gestures, according to sources in Reflecting his extreme rightwing views. Clemente has canonised Spain's former dictator Gen. Francisco Franco and his former Prime Minister Adm. Luis

Carrero Blanco. He also declared Christopher Columbus a saint.

In the last four years he has created more than 200 bishops and cardinals. Between May and October last year he issued more than 200 "papal edicts" on dogma.

Clemente is as fond of excommunicating cardinals as he is of creating them and his edicts frequently include expulsions from ie chureh.

He describes himself as a sworn opponent of Pope John Paul.

NEWS BRIEF

Reagan's standing goes up in U.S.

NEW YORK (R) - President Reagan's popularity among voters has reen in the past month, aceording to an opinion poll issued in advance of Tuesday's congressional elections. Of 1.337 reg. istered voters questioned between Oct. 25 and 27 for the New York Times CB5 News poB, 46 per cent approved and 43 per cent disapproved of Mr. Reagan's handling of his job. In September a similar survey showed 43 per cent. approving against 44 per cent dis-

Mrs. Gandhi appeals on behalf of Bhutto's sick widow _

NEW DELHI (R) — Indian Prime Minister Indira Gandhi has appealed to Pakistan to allow the ailing wite of executed Pakistani leader Zulfikar Ali Bhutto to go abroad for medical treatment, the Press Trust of India (PTI) news agency reported here. PTI said Mrs. Gandhi had written to Pakistan president Zia-ul-Haq interceding on behalf of Mrs. Nusrat Bhutto, who has sought permission to travel abroad for treatment of suspected lung cancer. Gen. Zia is flying here Monday for talks with Mrs. Gandhi before starting a South East Asian tour.

Thai forces capture jungle opium depot

BANGKOK (R) - That forces have captured a north Thailand: jungle hase run by Burmese opium warlord Chang Chee-Fn, military sourcessaid Sunday. Five guerrillas were killed in the assault on Friday by government troops supported by helicopter gunships. they added. The action followed the seizure of a small heroin factory and other installations by Thai troops and horder police.

Cairo frees 172 Muslim extremists

CAIRO (R) - Egyptian judicial authorities have released 172 Muslim extremists detained at the beginning of the year on suspicion of plotting the downfall of the government, the Middle East News Agency (MENA) reported. A state security prosecution official said investigations were con-tinuing with others to determine their position. He did not say how . many. Nearly 300 Muslim fundamentalists, believed to be members of the clandestine Jihad (holy struggle) group, have yet to

Russia cracks down on parasites

stand trial.

MOSCOW (R) - The Soviet Union's biggest constituent republic-Russia-has introduced legal changes to allow tougher measures against people officially considered parasites. A decree of the supreme Soviet of the Russian federation was published extending the offences of vagrancy and begging to cover "leading another parasitic way of life." The legal changes increase the maximum penalty for second offenders from two to three years imprisonment. The decree says as an alternative to imprisonment or exile first offenders can be sent to corrective labour treatment centres for one to two years.

No negotiations for kidnapped man in Guatemala -

GUATEMALA (R) — The bro-

ther of Guatemalan President Efrain Rios Montt has said he was m no position to comply with demands from gunmen who kidnapped his son 17 days ago. Edgar Rios Montt, who earlier offered ... himself in exchange for his son's release, said the kidnappers had given him until Nov. I to meet their demands. He said these were freedom for a certain flena del Rosario, alleged to have been arrested by security forces last August, and a halt to the military search for the kidnappers. Mr. Rios Montt said government and military authorities denied holding. Miss del Rosario.

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